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## Births.

[illegible]

## Marriages.

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## Deaths.

[illegible]

## In Memoriam.

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## Shipping.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. DIRECT STEAM COMMUNICATION FROM SYDNEY to MARSEILLES, via MELBOURNE, ADELAIDE, MAURITIUS, and SUEZ CANAL. [illegible]

THE NEW ZEALAND SHIPPING COMPANY'S ROYAL MAIL LINE. NEW ZEALAND to LONDON, calling at RIO DE JANEIRO, MADEIRA, and PLYMOUTH. [illegible]

STEAM TO LONDON. FOR JANUARY WOOL SALES. [illegible]

ORIENT LINE OF ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS. The following Royal Mail Steamships belonging to the ORIENT and PACIFIC COMPANIES will leave SYDNEY at 1 p.m. on the undermentioned dates for PLYMOUTH and LONDON, via Melbourne, Adelaide, Diego Garcia (at Company's option), the Suez Canal, calling at Naples:—

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| LUSITANIA | 3825 Tons | A. Tillet | Oct. 15 |
| LIGURIA | 4666 | G. F. Dixon | Oct. 29 |
| AUSTRAL | 5588 | J. F. Ruthven | Nov. 5 |
| IBERIA | 4702 | J. W. Shannon | Nov. 12 |

And fortnightly thereafter.

SALOON PASSENGERS allowed to break their journey. ENTIRE CABINS reserved on most liberal terms. PASSAGE MONEY—Saloon, £55, £65, and £80. [illegible]

EXCURSION RETURN TICKETS AT REDUCED RATES. REDUCTION OF THIRD-CLASS AND STEERAGE FARES FROM LONDON. [illegible]

MANAGERS: F. GREEN and CO. and ANDERSON, ANDERSON, and CO. [illegible] G. S. YUILL, General Manager in Australia. 19, Pitt-street.

ORIENT LINE OF STEAMERS. LAST STEAMER FOR THE NOVEMBER WOOL SALES. The R.M.S. LUSITANIA will leave Sydney on TUESDAY, the 11th OCTOBER, at 1 p.m. [illegible] G. S. YUILL, 19, Pitt-street.

DIRECT SERVICE TO ENGLAND. PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. [illegible] J. WEIR, Agent.

P. AND O. COMPANY. PASSAGE MONEY TO LONDON, &c., GREATLY REDUCED. [illegible] CHEAP RETURN TICKETS ARE ALSO ISSUED. J. WEIR, Agent.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. R.M.S. CLYDE, from LONDON. [illegible] J. WEIR, Agent, 247, George-street, Sydney. September 30, 1887.

UNION STEAM SHIP COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND, Limited. SAN FRANCISCO ROYAL MAIL SERVICE. OVERLAND ROUTE TO ENGLAND, VIA SAN FRANCISCO AND NEW YORK, CALLING AT AUCKLAND AND HONOLULU. [illegible] THROUGH FARE TO LIVERPOOL. [illegible] FREDK. W. JACKSON, Manager, Margaret-street.

R.M.S. ZEALANDIA, for SAN FRANCISCO and HONOLULU. NOTICE TO SHIPPERS. [illegible] FREDK. W. JACKSON, Agent.

PASSENGERS' LUGGAGE PER R.M.S. ZEALANDIA. [illegible]

UNION STEAM SHIP COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND, Limited. COMMUNICATION TO ALL NEW ZEALAND PORTS. [illegible] FREDK. W. JACKSON, Manager.

MELBOURNE, ADELAIDE, AND ALL SOUTH AND WEST AUSTRALIAN PORTS. THE ADELAIDE STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S EXPRESS STEAMERS. [illegible] SYDNEY TO WESTERN AUSTRALIA. [illegible] G. S. YUILL, Agent, 19, Pitt-street.

TASMANIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. DATES OF SAILING. [illegible] T. and W. WILLIS, Agents.

STEAM TO LONDON. We have much pleasure in announcing to Wool Shippers that we shall have a regular sequence of steamers to sail from Sydney to London, via Melbourne, Adelaide, and the Suez Canal, during the ensuing season. [illegible] FOR THE JANUARY WOOL SALES. [illegible] GIBBS, BRIGHT, and CO., BURNS, PHILP, and CO., Limited, Joint Loading Agents.

FOR LONDON. [illegible] BURNS, PHILP, and CO., Limited, GIBBS, BRIGHT, and CO., Joint Loading Agents.

BRITISH-INDIA LINE OF ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS to LONDON. UNDER POSTAL CONTRACT WITH THE QUEENSLAND GOVERNMENT. [illegible] BURNS, PHILP, and CO., Limited.

MAIL SERVICE TO NEW GUINEA. [illegible] BURNS, PHILP, and CO., Limited.

AUSTRALASIAN UNITED STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, Limited. [illegible] BURNS, PHILP, and CO., Limited, Agents, 10, Bridge-street.

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, Limited. Steam to THURSDAY ISLAND, PORT DARWIN, and HONGKONG. [illegible] SPLENDID PASSENGER ACCOMMODATION. GIBBS, BRIGHT, and CO., Managing Agents.

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, Limited. STEAM TO JAVA and SINGAPORE. [illegible] FAVOURABLE OPPORTUNITY FOR SHIPPERS OF HORSES and LIVE STOCK. GIBBS, BRIGHT, and CO., Managing Agents.

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CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, Limited. Steam to THURSDAY ISLAND, PORT DARWIN, and HONGKONG. The new steel steamship SOOCHOW, [illegible] LORIMER, ROME, and CO., Agents, 34, O'Connell-street.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL. MONTHLY LINE OF DIRECT STEAMERS from SYDNEY, MELBOURNE, and ADELAIDE, to SOUTHAMPTON, ANTWERP, and BREMEN, via COLOMBO, Aden, Suez, and Genoa. [illegible] FINCK and BEIT, Limited, Agents, 7, O'Connell-street.

STEAM TO SAMOA AND TONGATABU. [illegible] FINCK and BEIT, Limited, Agents.

SHAW, SAVILL, and ALBION COMPANY, Limited. SYDNEY, VIA NEW ZEALAND, TO LONDON. [illegible] DALGETY and COMPANY, Limited, Agents.

WM. HOWARD SMITH and SONS' (LTD.) Line of Magnificent Fast Steel Steamships. [illegible] WM. HOWARD SMITH and SONS, Ltd.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE. [illegible] WM. HOWARD SMITH and SONS, Limited.

STEAM TO BRISBANE, MARYBOROUGH, ROCKHAMPTON, MACKAY, TOWNSVILLE, CAIRNS, [illegible] WM. HOWARD SMITH and SONS, Ltd.

HUDDART, PARKER, and CO.'S LINE. STEAM TO MELBOURNE. [illegible] RETURN TICKETS AVAILABLE FOR SIX MONTHS. HUDDART, PARKER, and CO.

STEAM TO SHOALHAVEN and BROUGHTON CREEK. [illegible]

NEWCASTLE STEAMSHIP COMPANY, Limited. [illegible]

NEWCASTLE, MORPETH, and RAYMOND TERRACE. [illegible] F. J. THOMAS, Manager.

GRAFTON, CLARENCE RIVER. S.S. HELEN NICOLL, [illegible] JOHN SEE and CO.

PORT MACQUARIE DIRECT. S.S. WELLINGTON, TUESDAY NEXT. JOHN SEE and CO.

NAMBUCCA RIVER, via PORT MACQUARIE. S.S. WELLINGTON, TUESDAY NEXT. JOHN SEE and CO.

BELLINGER RIVER. S.S. FERNMOUNT, TUESDAY NEXT. JOHN SEE and CO.

MANNING RIVER DIRECT. S.S. ROSEDALE, THIS DAY, SATURDAY. JOHN SEE and CO.

RICHMOND RIVER. S.S. WYRALLAH, TUESDAY NEXT, at 7 p.m. B. D. NICOLL, Victoria Wharf.

STEAM TO TWEED RIVER and BYRON BAY. [illegible] GEO. W. NICOLL, Victoria Wharf.

RICHMOND RIVER. S.S. CORAKI, THIS MORNING, at 11. S.S. TOMKI, TUESDAY EVENING, at 7. [illegible] RICHARD COOKE, Secretary.

MACLEAY RIVER. S.S. WOODBURN, THIS NIGHT, at 9. RICHARD COOKE, Secretary.

GRAFTON, CLARENCE RIVER. S.S. CITY OF GRAFTON, TUESDAY NIGHT, at 9. [illegible] RICHARD COOKE, Secretary.

ILLAWARRA S. N. COMPANY. [illegible]

GOSFORD AND NEWCASTLE BY TRAIN AND STEAMER. [illegible]

MANLY BEACH. The most BEAUTIFUL WATERING PLACE near Sydney. [illegible]

PARRAMATTA RIVER STEAMERS AND TRAMWAY. TIMES OF DEPARTURE FROM KING-STREET DAILY. [illegible]

PARRAMATTA STEAMERS AND TRAMWAY. MONDAY, OCTOBER 3. CHEAP and ENJOYABLE HOLIDAY EXCURSIONS. THE FASTEST STEAMERS IN THE HARBOUR. [illegible]

HUNTER'S HILL and LANE COVE RIVER STEAMERS LEAVE. [illegible]

MOSSMAN'S BAY. MOSSMAN'S BAY. STEAMERS LEAVE NO. 4 JETTY, CIRCULAR QUAY. [illegible]

MOONLIGHT TRIP AROUND THE HARBOUR, landing at Clontarf. SUNDAY NIGHT, OCTOBER 2, 1887. [illegible]

(For continuation of Shipping Advertisements, and Personal Notices, and Property Lost and Found, see page 24.)

FARMER AND COMPANY. VICTORIA HOUSE. PITT-STREET—Nos. 221, 223, 225, 227, 229, 231. MARKET-STREET—Nos. 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80. GEORGE-STREET—No. 490. LONDON, England—45, Aldermanbury, E.C.

MANTLES. Special show of new goods in this department at extraordinary prices. FANCY BEIGE DUST MANTLES, neatly trimmed, coat-shape, [illegible] DUST MANTLES in lustre cloth, [illegible] DUST MANTLES in silk, very handsome, [illegible] SUMMER JACKETS.—The Covert, a short French-cut jacket, very fashionable and stylish, in colours, [illegible] VISITES or FISHUS, in Jet and Lace, [illegible] SUMMER ULSTERS, shower proof, in colours, [illegible]

The foregoing garments are certain to command a speedy sale. An early inspection is therefore invited. FARMER and COMPANY.

ORDER DEPARTMENT, DRESSMAKING. OUR APPOINTMENTS for this department have been made for the spring season. [illegible] FARMER and COMPANY.

A SPECIAL DISPLAY of New French MILLINERY.

MOURNING DEPARTMENT. [illegible]

BLACK GRENADINES. [illegible] FARMER and COMPANY.

A SPECIAL DISPLAY of New French MILLINERY.

COSTUME DEPARTMENT. SOME GOWNS OF RARE BEAUTY have been opened for this department, [illegible] FARMER and COMPANY.

SILK DEPARTMENT. [illegible] FARMER and COMPANY.

SPRING MILLINERY. OUR SPRING MILLINERY [illegible] OUR SHOW OF NEW SPRING GOODS comprises— [illegible] FARMER and COMPANY.

A SPECIAL DISPLAY of New French MILLINERY.

SUNSHADES. [illegible] FARMER and COMPANY.

A SPECIAL DISPLAY of New French MILLINERY.

DRESS MATERIALS. For this Spring the Dress Goods are characterised by a charming simplicity. [illegible] FARMER and COMPANY.

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## Amusements.

THEATRE ROYAL.
Under the management of
Messrs. WILLIAMSON, GARNER, and MUSGROVE.
Lessee, Mr. Samuel Lazar. Treasurer, Mr. Geo. L. Goodman.
Stage and General Manager ... Mr. H. R. Vincent.

Performance commences 7.45. Carriages at 11.

SIXTH WEEK
of
THE ROYAL DRAMATIC COMPANY.

LAST SATURDAY NIGHT,
and
LAST REPRESENTATION BUT FIVE.
LAST NIGHT BUT FIVE.
LAST NIGHT BUT FIVE
of
THE SILVER KING
THE SILVER KING,
which must positively be withdrawn after Friday next, owing to prior fixtures.

TO-NIGHT and five following evenings at 7.45 precisely.
LAST SATURDAY NIGHT | THE SILVER KING | LAST NIGHT
| THE SILVER KING | BUT FIVE.

The most perfect and brilliant play of the age.

THE PLAY OF A CENTURY.
"I hold it truth with him who sings
To one clear harp in divers tones,
That men may rise on stepping-stones
Of their dead selves to higher things."
—TENNYSON, "In Memoriam."

POSITIVELY LAST SIX NIGHTS,
owing to prior arrangements for
THE PRODUCTION OF THE YEAR
George R. Sims and Henry Pettitt's
latest and greatest success
HARBOUR LIGHTS
HARBOUR LIGHTS,
which will be played for
THE FIRST TIME IN SYDNEY
on
SATURDAY NEXT, OCTOBER 8.

The managers have brought all the resources of their unequalled staff to bear in order that this now famous play may be presented

TO THEIR SYDNEY PATRONS
on a SCALE of COMPLETENESS
NEVER BEFORE ATTEMPTED IN AUSTRALIA.

The Box Plan will open at 10 a.m. on Monday.

Prices—Dress Circle, 5s; Stalls, 3s; Upper Circle, 2s.
Tickets for all parts at Eastway's Hotel. Box-plan open at Theatre daily from 10 till 5.

A CARD.

MR. G. S. TITHERADGE
has the honour to announce that on
FRIDAY NEXT, OCTOBER 7,
he will conclude four years' engagement with Messrs. Williamson, Garner, and Musgrove.
That evening has been kindly set apart by them as a
COMPLIMENTARY FAREWELL BENEFIT
to him,
on which occasion he will perform
for the
LAST TIME as THE SILVER KING,
and make his
FINAL APPEARANCE
THIS SEASON.

Box plan now open.

N. S. W. TYPOGRAPHICAL ASSOCIATION.
GRAND MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC ENTERTAINMENT,
NEW MASONIC HALL.
TO-NIGHT, TO-NIGHT, TO-NIGHT.
Duet—"On the Field of Glory" ... Donizetti
Messrs. SPENCER and ROBSON.
Song—"The Watchman" ... Knight
Miss GLENDENNING.
Tenor solo—"Once Again" ... Sullivan
Mr. W. WALSHE.
Song—"The Better Land" ... Cowen
Miss JOSEPHINE O'REILLY.
Duo—piano and violin—"The Pirate" ... De Beriot
Miss HERBERT and Mr. J. HERMAN NEWTON.
Song—"The Last Watch" ... Pinsuti
Mr. T. SPENCER.
Song—"The Laughing Song" ... Aoler
Miss GLENDENNING.
Song—"The White Squall" ... Barker
Mr. W. WALSHE.
Interval of Five Minutes.
UNFURLING OF THE NEW BANNER BY MAYOR RILEY.
Overture—"Bohemian Girl" (Balfe) ... Orchestra
The performance to conclude with Broughton's Charming Comedietta, in one act, entitled
WITHERED LEAVES.
Sir Coupers Conyers, Mr. C. T. Robson; Tom Conyers, Mr. Edward Reeves; Arthur Middleton, Mr. J. D. Stratford; Cecil Vane, Mr. F. B. Morley; Lady Conyers, Miss Coze Stanley; May Rivers, Miss Elena Holmes.
Prices: 3s, 2s, 1s.

COTTIER'S People's Concerts, at the Protestant Hall, To-night, Double Bill. Admission, chairs 1s, bal. 6d. Open 7.
COTTIER'S Triple Specialty Act, Triple Medley Clog Dance. The Big 5 Sand Jig. New songs, ballads, dances.
COTTIER'S Sketch. "Jack's Return," Miss Lucy Cottier, Mr. Walton, Mr. Linton. Olio of Oddities. Start 8.
COTTIER'S Finale—The Hadcarrier's Brigade. Farce, That Heathen Chinee. Everything new to-night.
COTTIER'S play, New Masonic Hall, next Monday night (8-hour night), and don't you forget it.

GRAND CONCERT,
in aid of the Funds of the
CITY NIGHT REFUGE and SOUP KITCHEN,
will take place in the NEW BUILDING,
331, Kent-street,
ON MONDAY EVENING NEXT,
at 8 o'clock.

Under the Patronage of
His Excellency Lord Carrington, the Hon. Lady Carrington, the Hon. Sir Henry Parkes (Premier), the Most Rev. the Primate, the Chief Justice and Lady Darley, the Mayor and Mayoress, and the elite of Sydney.

PROGRAMME.
Part I.
1. Introduction—Duet, Piano and Organ
Messrs. A. FISHER and H. J. NOBLE.
2. Recit. and Air | "Comfort ye my People" / "Every Valley" | Handel
Mr. W. WALSHE.
3. Air—"Come Ever-smiling Liberty" ... Handel
Mrs. JOS. TURNER.
4. Recital ...
Mr. C. B. TEECE.
5. Air—"Calvary" ...
Mr. F. RIDSDALE.
6. "Ave Maria" (with violin obligato) ... Gounod
Miss GLENDENNING.
7. Song—"Peter the Hermit" ...
Mr. T. H. RAINFORD.

Part II.
1. Pianoforte Solo—"Polka de la Reine" ...
Miss CLARISE BRAZAZON.
2. Song—"Only Dreams" ... Lohr
Mr. BEAUMONT READ.
3. Cavatina—"Nobil Signor" (Les Huguenots)
Mrs. C. B. FOSTER.
4. Recital—"Early Days" (original)
Mr. J. H. RAINFORD.
5. Recit. and Air—"Ah Fors e Lui" ... Verdi
Miss WANGENHEIM.
6. Song—"They all love Jack" ...
Mr. T. H. RAINFORD.
7. Violin Solo ...
Mr. L. HENDERSON.
8. Song—"Queen of the Earth" ... Pinsuti
Miss PASSMORE.
9. Saxaphone Solo—"Eri tu che macchiavi quell Anima" ... Verdi
Mr. SEBASTIAN HODGE.
10. Song—"Three Beggars" ...
Mr. F. RIDSDALE.
11. Duet—"Of Fairy Wand" (Maritana)
Miss GLENDENNING and Mr. J. H. RAINFORD.
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.
Conductor, Montague Younger, Esq.
Accompanists, Miss Herbert and Messrs. A. Fisher and H. J. Noble.
Final rehearsal this evening, Saturday, at the Institution, 331, Kent-street, at 8 o'clock.
The grand piano and organ to be used on this occasion have been kindly lent by Messrs. W. H. Paling and Co.
Prices of admission:—Reserved seats, 5s; body of hall, 3s; back seats, 2s.
Tickets may be obtained from Messrs. W. H. Paling and Co., Schott and Co., Nicholson and Co., Huenerbein and Corbett, Bruce and Massey, M'Clelland and Rosat, 357, George-street; or from Mr. Passmore, at the Institution, 331, Kent-street.
ROBERT GUY,
Hon. Sec.

Y. M. C. A. HALL.
Under the distinguished patronage of
HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR and LADY CARRINGTON.

MME. MADELINE SCHILLER'S
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FIRST GRAND PIANOFORTE RECITAL
FIRST GRAND PIANOFORTE RECITAL
on
WEDNESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 5, 1887,
at 8 o'clock.

Prices of Admission: Reserved Seats, 5s; Galleries, 3s and 2s.
BOX PLAN now open, and Tickets at W. H. PALING and CO.'S, GEORGE-STREET.

N.B.—On account of MONDAY, October 3, being a Public Holiday, the Box Plan will not be open on that date.

COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS' ASSOCIATION OF N. S. W., 118, PITT-STREET.
The second SMOKE CONCERT will take place at 7.30 THIS EVENING, when the President, the Hon. Jas. Inglis, will preside.

ROSE SHOW.
The
HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY
of
NEW SOUTH WALES.
The
SPRING EXHIBITION AND ROSE SHOW
of the
ABOVE SOCIETY
will be held in the
GOVERNOR'S DOMAIN
(by kind permission of His Excellency),
on
TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY,
18th and 19th October.
The
MOST MAGNIFICENT SHOW
in
NEW SOUTH WALES.
See future Advertisements.
Entry forms and all other information may be obtained from the Secretary,
S. C. LINDLEY,
Box 182, G.P.O.

TO-DAY, CLAREVILLE, SANDRINGHAM. Free tickets. Richardson and Wrench.

ROYAL STANDARD THEATRE.
Under our own management.
Lessee and Director ... Mr. Frank Smith.
Manager ... Mr. J. Grant.
Stage Manager ... Mr. Shaw Cross
Vocal Director ... Mr. Percy Shannon
Leader of Orchestra ... Mr. Robt. Lochhead.

GRAND OPENING TO-NIGHT
of
FRANK SMITH'S
STANDARD MINSTREL
and
BURLESQUE COMPANY.

PROGRAMME.
Part I.
OUR EBONY CIRCLE.
Castanets: HOSEA EASTON, CHARLEY HOLLY. Conversationalist: SHAW CROSS. Tambos: JAS. R. WALSH, WILLIE WARNER.
Introductory Overture—"Excelsior" ... Company
Comic Song—"Good-bye, Honey, I am gone" ... Hosea Easton
Ballad—"White Wings" (originally sung by him in Australia) ... Percy Shannon
Comic Song—"Me and Martha Ann" ... Charley Holly
Ballad—"Romany Lass" ... Shaw Cross
Medley—"Tube Roses" ... J. R. Walsh
Patriotic Song—"Australia" (original) ... Willie Warner
Ballad—"Good-bye till I see you again" ... Fred. England.
FINALE.
THE DANDY SWELL CADETS,
introducing an Army of Medical Boys in Grand Marches, Drills, and Choruses.

Part II.
WALSH and KING,
in their Original Specialty, LEFT.

Mr. G. R. FAUST
(of the original Faust Family),
selections on the Musical Glasses and Zylophone

VINCENT MAGEE
(from the London Music Halls),
in his Clog Dance on Ice Skates, 16th of an inch thick
(his first appearance in the colonies).
WILLIE WARNER,
the Great Australian Comique,
in his Inimitable Character Impersonations.
OSWALD EDWARDS,
the Marvellous Acrobatic Song and Dance Artist.
HOSEA EASTON and his Talking Banjo.
MONS. LOUIS GRANVILLE,
the wonderful French Basso,
will sing "The Bridge."

To conclude with the Laughable Farce,
THE COOPERS.
Jake ... Jas. R. Walsh
Pete ... Hosea Easton
Mr. Ader... Wm. J. King
Lucy (his daughter) ... Frank Phillips
Charley Newcome ... Charley Holly

REMEMBER THE PRICES.
DRESS CIRCLE, 3s; STALLS, 2s; PIT, 1s.
Box plan at Bruce and Massey's, Pitt-street. Carriages at 10.30.

ANTHONY HORDERN and SONS,
PALACE EMPORIUM,
HAYMARKET
(ONLY).

PROMENADE CONCERT
to be held at
THE PALACE EMPORIUM, HAYMARKET,
on
WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY EVENINGS,
October 5 and 6.

The musical arrangements will be in charge of Mr. Hallewell, and the band of the Naval Brigade, under the conductorship of Mr. Devrie, will perform selections. The piano used will be supplied by Messrs. Huenerbein and Corbett, 319, George-street.

In order to avoid the crushing and confusion inseparable from an open entertainment, and to secure the comfort and convenience of our visitors on this special occasion, we have determined to charge for admission at the rate of ONE SHILLING for adults and SIXPENCE for children, the same to be returnable in goods. The frequent intervals noticed on the programme have been arranged to facilitate selection of articles, which will be conveniently displayed for that purpose, so that in the progress of vocal or instrumental music our friends will be able to exchange their MUSICAL COUPONS
for pretty things worth something like double the amount invested. Practically, therefore, this is
A FREE CONCERT.
Tickets and programmes may be obtained any time before, and on the evenings of the Concerts at
THE PALACE EMPORIUM, HAYMARKET,
and from
HUENERBEIN and CORBETT,
319, George-street.

Doors open at 7.30. Concert commences 7.45 each evening.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT.
PROGRAMME.
Selection—"Cloth of Gold" BAND. ... V. Buot
Song—"La Donna e Mobile" Mr. W. WALSHE ... Donizetti
Song—"My dearest Heart" Miss SYD. KEANE. ... Moltel
Interval of 10 minutes.
Valse—"Maid of Kent" BAND. ... Lowthian
Song—"Poor wandering One" (by request) Miss GLENDENNING. ... Sullivan
Song—"Once Again" Mr. WALSHE. ... Sullivan
Interval of 10 minutes.
Selection—"Sinfonia" BAND. ... V. Buot
Song—"I Fear no Foe" Mr. HALLEWELL. ... Pinsuti
Duet—"Excelsior" Mr. WALSHE and Mr. HALLEWELL. ... Balfe
Interval of 10 minutes.
Selection—"Concord" BAND. ... V. Buot
Song—"Should he Upbraid" Miss KEANE. ... Bishop
Duet—"Oh! Maritana" Miss GLENDENNING and Mr. WALSHE. ... Wallace

THURSDAY NIGHT.
PROGRAMME.
Valse—"Maid of the Mill" BAND. ... Liddell
Song—"The Bellringer" Mr. HALLEWELL. ... Wallace
Song—"I Dreamt I Dwelt" Miss KEANE. ... Balfe
Interval of 10 Minutes.
Selection—"True Love" BAND. ... Keash
Violin Solo—"Faust" Mr. G. RIVERS ALLPRESS. ... Alard
Duet—"La ci darem" Miss KEANE and Mr. HALLEWELL. ... Mozart
Interval of 10 Minutes.
March—"Adonis" BAND. ... Newton
Songs { "When all the World is Young" (First time in Sydney) / "The Fair White Rose" } Mr. HALLEWELL. ... Lardelli
Song—"Alla Stella Confidente" Miss KEANE (violin obligato by Mr. ALLPRESS). ... Robandi
Interval of 10 Minutes.
Selection—"Sprightly" BAND. ... J. Petre
Duet—"When the wind blows in from the sea" Miss KEANE and Mr. HALLEWELL. ... Smart
At the Piano ... Signor Landelli.

OUR ONLY ADDRESS—
ANTHONY HORDERN and SONS,
PALACE EMPORIUM,
HAYMARKET
(ONLY),
CLOSE TO THE RAILWAY STATION.

ASSOCIATION CRICKET GROUND.
SEASON 1887-8.
SEASON TICKETS ARE NOW READY FOR ISSUE.
Annual Subscription ... Two Guineas
Entrance Fee to New Members ... One Guinea
SCHOOLBOYS.
Annual Subscription ... One Guinea
Entrance Fee ... Half a Guinea
PROBABLE CRICKET MATCHES
during
ENSUING SEASON—
VICTORIA v. NEW SOUTH WALES (Intercolonial Match)
SHAW'S TEAM v. NEW SOUTH WALES (also a Return Match)
SHAW'S TEAM v. COMBINATION
MELBOURNE C. C. TEAM v. NEW SOUTH WALES (and a Return Match)
COMBINED ENGLISH TEAMS v. ALL AUSTRALIA,
and probably other important matches.
SPECIAL NOTICE.
LADIES' TICKETS.—It has been decided to issue for this season Two Ladies' Tickets to each member. Each of these tickets will admit one lady upon all occasions; but should they be lost or mislaid, duplicate tickets will not be issued for any reason whatever.
Members are admitted free to the Ground and Reserves upon all occasions.
Gentlemen desirous of becoming members and securing the above privileges are requested to send in their names at once to the undersigned. The ground season dates from October 1 to September 30 in each year.
By order of the Trustees,
R. H. FAIRLAND,
Secretary A.C. Ground.
Office: 99, Elizabeth-street.

THE NEW MASONIC HALL having been thoroughly painted and re-decorated, is now open for ENGAGEMENTS for Concerts, Balls, and Theatrical entertainments. This Hall is the largest, best ventilated, and coolest hall in Sydney. For terms, apply to Hon. Secretary.

ICE CREAM, Ice Cream, Ice Cream. Brierley's Refreshment Rooms, 11, Hunter-street.

CRITERION THEATRE.
Sole Proprietor ... Mr. JOHN SOLOMON
Business Manager ... MONTY BROWNE

Phenomenal success of
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PROGRAMME.
1. Overture—"A Night in Granada" ... Kreutzer
GRAND ORCHESTRA.
2. Solo—"The Silver Cup" ... Adams
Mr. RIDSDALE.
3. Pastoral—"Mia Madre" ... Hadyn
Miss K. LOVELL.
4. Solo—"Tell her I Love her so" ... Faden
Mr. W. B. CADZOW.
5. Flower Song ("Faust") ... Gounod
Miss KATE ALMA.
6. Solo—"The Minstrel" ... Balfe
Mr. W. WALSHE.
7. a) Recit. and Aria—"The King of Thule" / b) The Jewel Song ... Gounod
Miss FRANCES SAVILLE.
8. Hymn—"Les Rameaux" ... Faure
Mr. WARWICK GAINOR.
9. Introduction, Theme and Variations ("Les Solistes") ... Caron
(First Time)
(Composed expressly for the Sunday concerts, and dedicated to the members of the Criterion Grand Orchestra).
First variation for flute by Mr. Watts
Second variation for two cornets, by Messrs. W. Greaty and G. Greaty
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Fourth variation for trombone, by Mr. Mears
Fifth variation for two cornets and trombone, by Messrs. W. Greaty, G. Greaty, and Meara, together with the
GRAND ORCHESTRA.
10. Quartette—"Rigoletto" ... Verdi
Miss FRANCES SAVILLE, Miss K. ALMA, Mr. WARWICK GAINOR, Mr. W. WALSHE.
11. Hunting Song—"Give Away" (by request) ... Homes
Mr. RIDSDALE.
12. Prayer—"Ah, those Chimes" ... Wallace
Miss KATE ALMA.
13. Solo—"I fear no Foe" ... Pinsuti
Mr. WARWICK GAINOR.
14. March—"Turkish Patrol" (by request) ... Michaelis
GRAND ORCHESTRA.
15. Solo—"Bid Me Love-bye" ... Barnett
Miss FRANCES SAVILLE.
16. Canzone—"La Donna Mobile" ... Verdi
Mr. W. WALSHE.
17. Solo—"L'Ardita" ... Arditi
Miss K. LOVELL.
18. Romance—"I Sow for Her" ... Gaus
Mr. W. B. CADZOW.
19. Laughing Trio—"The Gipsies" ... Hirsch
Miss K. LOVELL, Miss K. ALMA, and Mr. RIDSDALE.

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in the
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on
WEDNESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 5, 1887,
in which the following members and friends will take part.

Violins: Mr. H. Graham, Mr. E. Pearce, Mr. J. A. M'Cartin, Mr. W. H. Campion, Mr. A. J. Hill, Mr. C. Bluegran, Mr. T. Smith, Mr. E. G. Wickens, Mr. C. Tischbein, Mr. T. Tonge, Mr. F. Beckler, Mr. R. Millard, Mr. W. Watson, Mr. T. Walker, Mr. J. Hoskins, Mr. H. Dexlow, Mr. J. Mercer, Mr. R. G. Terrell, Miss E. M'Nab, Miss L. Schaaf, Miss M. Fear, Miss A. Hill, Miss B. Knevill. Violas: Mr. J. N. Foster, Mr. W. Flynn, Mr. W. Drew, Miss Linnie Murray. Violoncellos: Mr. W. H. Fearn, Miss B. Schaaf, Miss E. Tall. Double Bass: Mr. B. Crook, Mr. R. Lambe, Mr. W. E. M'Gee, Mr. D. Hoy. Flutes: Mr. C. W. Fraser, Mr. C. Tall.

Mr. D. Moore, Miss L. Fear, Miss F. M'Layman. Piccolos: Mr. D. Moore, Miss C. Wiseman. Clarionets: Mr. R. Ferguson, Mr. E. De Grandi, Mr. J. Fidden, Miss F. Tall. Cornets: Mr. Melcombe, Mr. W. H. Freeman, Mr. J. Freeman, Master H. Freeman, Miss C. Tall. Euphonium: Master H. Freeman. French Horn: Mr. W. Cork. Pianoforte: Miss George, Miss N. George, Mr. F. Boulter. Organ: Miss Linnie Murray, Miss George. Tympani (Cymbals, Triangle, Drums and Bells): Mrs. M. Spencer. Vocalists: Mr. W. F. Darley, Mr. J. Sallar, Miss M. Stafford, Miss M. Fear. Pianoforte Accompanists: Mr. E. Massey, Miss A. Stafford, Miss Prince.

Leaders ... Mr. A. J. Hill and Mr. E. Wickens
Conductor ... Mr. Henry Graham

Programme.
1. Overture—"Artaxerxes" (Dr. Arne) ... Orchestra
2. Song—"The King's Champion" (M. Watson) ... Mr. W. F. Darley
3. March—"The Queen's Jubilee March" (M. Watson) ... Orchestra
4. Song—"Vashti" (Bordèse) ... Miss M. Stafford
5. Symphony—"The Jupiter Symphony" ("Allegro," W. A. Mozart) ... Orchestra
6. Song—"The Skipper" (Jude) ... Mr. J. Sallar
7. Solo Violin—"Les Echos," composed by C. de Beriot expressly for the use of the late mute of J. B. Villaume ... H. Graham
(Accompaniment, Mr. F. Boulter)
8. Song—"Il Bacio" (L'Arditi) ... Miss M. Fear
9. Waltz—"I'll See You Again" (Caroline Lowthian) ... By the Ladies of the Orchestra
10. Song—"The Storm Fiend" (Roeckel) ... Mr. W. F. Darley
11. Gavotte—"Pretty Girls" (Wilhelm Vandervel) ... Orchestra
12. Song—"I Cannot Sing the Old Songs" (Claribel) ... Miss M. Stafford
13. Overture—"Semiramide" (G. Rossini) ... Orchestra
14. Song—"The Old, Old Words" (Roeckel) ... Mr. J. Sallar
15. Waltz—"For Love's Sake" (A. G. Crowe) ... Orchestra
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

In consequence of length of Programme it is requested that encores will not be insisted on.
Doors open, 7.30; commence, 8 o'clock precisely.
Tickets can be obtained of the members, and Mr. J. Fidden, Hon. Sec., and at the Euphonic Academy, 30, Stanley-street, Hyde Park.

UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF His Excellency the GOVERNOR and Lady CARRINGTON (who have kindly signified their intention of being present),
A GRAND CONCERT,
in aid of the Fund for paying off the Debt on the
NEW WING of ST. VINCENT'S HOSPITAL,
will be held in the
NEW MASONIC HALL, Castlereagh-street,
on WEDNESDAY, the 9th November, at 8 p.m.
Further particulars in a later advertisement.

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IMPORTANT and CONTINUATIVE CHANGE OF PROGRAMME.

TO-NIGHT,
Mr. Geo.
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in Modern Comedy and Nautical Drama.

THIS EVENING, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1887,
Herman Merivale's and Palgrave Simpson's
Charming Comedy-Drama, in 3 acts, entitled
ALONE ALONE ALONE.
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COLONEL CHALLICE (his original character) ... Mr. GEORGE RIGNOLD
(as played by him before their Royal Highnesses the PRINCE and PRINCESS of WALES by special command, and which ran for over 200 nights at the Royal Court Theatre, London),
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Edward ... Mr. H. Cobb.

ACT I.
"How sharper than a serpent's tooth it is to have a thankless child."
ACT II.
"Come not between the dragon and his wrath."
ACT III.
"For as I am a man, I think this lady to be my child, Cordelia."

Between Acts I. and II. there is no interval.

The MANAGEMENT will esteem it a favour if the audience will kindly be in their seats by 7.50, as the first scene of ALONE is necessary to the development of the plot; and, as the curtain will rise and fall without interval between the Acts, they trust the interest will be sufficiently sustained to keep them there till the conclusion.

The Performance will conclude with Douglas Jerrold's ever popular Nautical Drama, in Two Acts, entitled
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SCHOOL OF ARTS, ASHFIELD, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1887.
AN EVENING CONCERT,
under the direction of Mr. ALBERT FISHER,
EBENEZER PROUT'S Beautiful Cantata
ALFRED,
with FULL ORCHESTRA and CHORUS of 80 VOICES.
Principals:
Miss EDWARD DEANE, Mr. ALEX. EDWARD, Mr. FRANK BREWER. Pianist—Mr. W. T. SHARP. Organist—Mr. G. E. DUPAINE.
A short Miscellaneous Programme will precede the Cantata, in which Miss MARY ROBINSON (Pianiste), Mr. EGARLE (Tenor) will take part.
Bonamo's popular Waltz—"My Sweetest Self" (arranged by Albert Fisher for solo, chorus, and orchestra) will be given for the first time.
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ALBERT FISHER, Conductor.

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2. Song—"The Monk" ... Meyerbeer
Mr. F. J. HALLEWELL.
INTERVAL OF TEN MINUTES.
3. Violin Solo—Scherzo Tarantelle ... Wieniawski
Mr. RIVERS ALLPRESS.
4. Song—"Palm Sunday" ... Faure
Mr. WARWICK GAINOR.
5. Piano Solo—Polonaise (E Flat) (Op. 22) ... Chopin
Mons. H. KOWALSKI.
INTERVAL OF TEN MINUTES.
6. Quartette—"Zaughetta, Intermezzo" ... Caron
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7. Duetto { Il rival Salvar / Suoni la tromba } ... Bellini
Messrs. HALLEWELL and WARWICK GAINOR.
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Castlereagh-street, Sydney,
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...DAY EVENING, the 11th OCTOBER next.
Gentlemen's Tickets, £1 1s.
Ladies' Tickets, 10s 6d.,
procurable only from the Ladies of the General Committee, and from the undersigned.

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THE PLACE TO SPEND A HAPPY DAY.
THE ROYAL AQUARIUM and PLEASURE GROUNDS, BONDI.
This delightful picturesque resort now open daily, from 11 a.m. to ... p.m. (Sunday included).

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A Military Band on the Lawn
TO-DAY and SUNDAY.

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Pa do take me to that lovely place. I want to see the SEALS.

ROYAL AQUARIUM, BONDI.
MONSTER ATTRACTION
on Eight Hour Demonstration Day,
MONDAY, OCTOBER 3rd,
DON'T YOU FORGET IT.

ROYAL AQUARIUM, BONDI.
Merry-go-rounds, Swings, Shooting Gallery,
PUNCH AND JUDY.

ROYAL AQUARIUM, BONDI.
DANCING in the GRAND HALL from 3 till 6 p.m. A first-class string band specially engaged.
Admission—1s, three, 6d. Admission to dancing—double ticket, 2s. 6d.
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Business Manager—FRED. DARE.

THE ROYAL AQUARIUM, BONDI.
will NOT be OPEN in the EVENING until further notice.

SWIMMING SPORTS.
THE SYDNEY BATHING COMPANY,
Limited.
No. 1 SALTWATER SWIMMING BASIN
will be
OPENED TO THE PUBLIC
on
SATURDAY EVENING, 1st OCTOBER.
Good Band in Attendance.
ADMISSION, 1s; RESERVED SEATS, 2s.
Doors open 7.30 p.m.
FIRST RACE WILL START AT 8 P.M.
Admission to Afternoon Sports by Invitation Only.
NOTICE TO COMPETITORS.
As ladies will be present the following rule will be strictly enforced, viz.:—That all competitors must swim in guernseys, which must be approved of by the Director of Sports, except boys under 16 years, who may wear drawers only.
THE PRIZES FOR THE ABOVE SPORTS
will be
EXHIBITED DURING THE WEEK
by
Mr. Evan Jones, in his Windows, in HUNTER-STREET and the ROYAL ARCADE.
Competitors are requested to let the Secretary know at once what colours they intend to wear.

FOLEY'S GYMNASIUM,
GEORGE-STREET.
TO-NIGHT. TO-NIGHT.
GRAND BOXING CONTESTS. GRAND BOXING CONTESTS.
Professor Jackson v. O'Sullivan, four rounds.
Professor M'Ca...y v. Nolan, four rounds.
Champion Amateur of Australia v. Steve O'Donnell, four rounds.
Fitz v. Williams, four rounds.
Dooley v. Hickey, four rounds.
Burgess v. Jim Hall, to a finish.
M'Caffery, of America (first appearance) v. Donnelly, to a finish.
Admission, 2s 6d.
Commence at 8 p.m.

THE ADDRESS ... TESTIMONIAL to R. NORRIS, Esq., ... manager A. J. S. Bank, Haymarket, will be presented ... THURSDAY, 6th October, at Loder... kin's Hotel, Haymarket ... friends invited.

NO. 224 L. O. L. ... will hold a Purple MEETING THIS ... at 1.30 p.m., in the Schoolroom ... Visitors ... members of Nos. 33, 54, and 123 cordially invited. Steamer leaves ... 4.30 p.m. ... MAY, W.M.; G. SUTTON, Sec.

THE No. 1 Basin of the Sydney Bathing Company will be opened by his Worship the Mayor THIS DAY, OCTOBER 1. See Amusement Column.

GIPSY Fortune Teller and Free Exhibition, 30, Oxford st., Paddington, between Begg and Regent sts.

INFORMATION re ... Boyle's public and private Singing Classes given at ... Bruce and Massey's Pitt-street.

TO-DAY, CLAREVILLE, SANDRINGHAM. Free tickets. Richardson and Wrench.

## Amusements.

EIGHT-HOUR DEMONSTRATION.

THE 22nd ANNIVERSARY will be held at the AGRICULTURAL GROUNDS, MOORE PARK, on MONDAY, OCTOBER 3.

A large and varied Programme of Sports, including Tug-of-War, Obstacle Races, Wrestling Contests, Walking Match.

The fifth Art Union for prizes valued [illegible]

First Prize—Grand Piano, each value 50 guineas, presented by the Eight-hour Demonstration Committee.

Holders of winning numbers in Art Union may procure their prizes on application at the Temperance Hall, TUESDAY, October 4, from 9 a.m. till 9 p.m.

Winning numbers will be advertised in TUESDAY'S issue of Herald and Telegraph.

Drawing for Art Union will take place on the Ground at 4 p.m.

Dancing in the spacious Pavilion under the supervision of three efficient M.C.

HOT AND COLD WATER PROVIDED FREE.

The Committee, to ensure the comfort of the patrons, have arranged watercarts to water the grounds all day, so that there will be no dust to spoil their clothes.

TICKETS.—Admission to Ground and Art Union: Adults, 1s; Children, 6d. Grand Stand: Gentlemen, 1s; Ladies and Children FREE. Pavilion Tickets: Double Tickets, 2s 6d.

Tickets may be procured from Messrs. A. Hordern and Sons, Haymarket; Campbell Brothers, George-street; Lyons and Sons, Redfern; Kerr and Todd, Brickfield-hill; [illegible] where the street; and Ruffs and Co., George-street. Market prizes are now on view.

JAS. LAURENCE, Secretary.

SYDNEY PROGRESSIVE SOCIETY OF CARPENTERS AND JOINERS.—The members of the above Society are requested to meet at the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, at 8 a.m. sharp, on MONDAY next, October 3, to walk in the Eight-hour Procession.

J. T. STUBBS, President.
J. C. SIMPSON, Secretary.

UNITED LABOURERS' PROTECTIVE SOCIETY of NEW SOUTH WALES.—Eight Hour Demonstration. MONDAY, October 3.—Members are earnestly requested to ASSEMBLE at Hort Jackson's Hotel [illegible] at 7.30 a.m. sharp, to form procession thence to rendezvous [illegible]. Headed by Carrington Brass Band. W. DILLON, Secretary.

EIGHT-HOUR DEMONSTRATION.
UNITED PAINTERS' SOCIETY.

The Members of the above Society will meet on MONDAY, October 3, at 8 a.m. sharp, at the Swan-with-two-Necks, to take part in the Eight-Hour Procession. Any man [illegible] are cordially invited to attend. Non-society men [illegible] will be fined [illegible].

J. LAWRENCE, Secretary.

PLUMBERS' GALVANISED IRONWORKERS' and GASFITTERS' SOCIETY OF N.S.W.—The Members of the above Society are requested to meet at the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, October 3, at 8 a.m., to take part in the EIGHT-HOUR PROCESSION. [illegible]

FRIENDLY TRADE SOCIETY OF IRON-MOULDERS.

Members are requested to Muster at [illegible] Hall, on MONDAY, October 3, 8 a.m. sharp, to take part in the procession. All non-unionists are specially invited.

By order of the [illegible] Secretary.

AMALGAMATED SOCIETY OF ENGINEERS.—MEMBERS of the Sydney District are requested to MEET at the Royal Foresters' Hall, Castlereagh-street, on MONDAY, October 3, at 8 a.m. sharp, to proceed to the Eight Hour Demonstration.

EIGHT-HOUR DAY.
NOTICE TO PICNIC PARTIES.

Fresh Pies of all descriptions. Buns, Bread and Beef Sandwiches, will be ready by 7 a.m. on MONDAY, at the Leading News, and also at The Bureau, No. 1, Market-street, next Evening News, and also at No. 2, 217, George-street, opposite Christ Church. Mrs. W. BERG.

EIGHT-HOUR DEMONSTRATION.

ZOOLOGICAL GARDENS, MOORE PARK.

CHILDREN'S FESTIVAL AT THE ZOO.

MEMBERS OF THE VARIOUS INDUSTRIAL SOCIETIES can add CONSIDERABLY TO THEIR ENJOYMENT BY SPENDING A PORTION OF MONDAY at the ZOOLOGICAL SOCIETY'S GROUNDS, MOORE PARK, and give their WIVES and CHILDREN AN EXTRA TREAT by paying a visit to the GRAND COLLECTION of ANIMALS, BIRDS, and REPTILES.

MUSIC, MUSIC, MUSIC, MUSIC.

The Gardens were never in a more satisfactory state for the reception of visitors.

New items of Amusement programme for Demonstration Day to give additional pleasure in ALL AGES. [illegible] Prominent in the WONDER DEPARTMENT is Mr. J. BURROWS, a clever and successful Trainer of QUADRUPEDS, who will emerge from his retirement at 3 p.m. on MONDAY, and put the BABY ELEPHANT through its paces.

REMEMBER ELEPHANT AT 3 p.m.

Open-mouthed wonder for the young. Kiosk entertainment for the [illegible].

A SPLENDID BAND WILL BE PRESENT, and play a varied programme [illegible].

THE MAGNIFICENT AFRICAN LIONS and YOUNG CUBS.

ELEPHANTS, TIGERS, BEARS, LLAMAS, PANTHERS, LEOPARDS.

DENIZENS OF THE FOREST are worthy of inspection.

DELIGHTFUL HOLIDAY.

The large Pavilion, or huge pleasure, is of sufficient dimensions to afford protection from the sun or rain to hundreds of children, where they can enjoy themselves and trip it lightly to the merry measures of a splendid Band.

STRANGERS FROM THE COUNTRY SPECIALLY INVITED.

The LAWN is clothed in lovely verdure, broken in places by carpet beds of the CHOICEST FLOWERS, in close proximity to the glassy pool, gently rippling in the charming spot where children have weight and sunny stretch the clothes-destroying dust of Randwick-road.

REFRESHMENTS obtainable on the Grounds.

The MONKEYS will afford the usual amusement to the children.

RIDES on the ELEPHANT and PONIES.

TRAMS TO THE GATES.

ADULTS, 6d. CHILDREN, 3d.

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BY THE INCREASED SALE OF THIS PIANO, Messrs. NICHOLSON and Co. have been enabled to make arrangements with the manufacturers whereby they can supply [illegible]

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CAUTION TO MUSIC WAREHOUSEMEN.

Messrs. NICHOLSON and Co. notify that they have registered the word "MIGNON" as their TRADE MARK, as applied to pianos imported and sold only by their firm in NEW SOUTH WALES [illegible] using the word "Mignon" as applied to pianos [illegible] infringing the firm's rights [illegible] NICHOLSON and CO. [illegible] will be FORFEITED [illegible] Trade Marks Act.

NICHOLSON and CO., PIANO, ORGAN, and MUSIC WAREHOUSE, KING and GEORGE STREETS, SYDNEY.

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CANTERBURY PARK RACES.

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THIS DAY (SATURDAY) and MONDAY, October 1st and 3rd, 1887.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY.

1. The FLYING HANDICAP. To start at 1.30 p.m.
LUNCHEON.
2. The PARK STAKES. To start at 2.35 p.m.
3. The OCTOBER HANDICAP. To start at 3.15 p.m.
4. The DISPOSAL STAKES. To start at 4 p.m.
5. The STEWARDS' MILE. To start at 4.45 p.m.

SECOND DAY.—MONDAY, (Eight-hour Demonstration Day).
1. The HURDLE RACE. To start at 1.15 p.m.
LUNCHEON.
2. The PRINCE OF WALES STAKES. To start at 2.15 p.m.
3. The CANTERBURY PARK GOLD CUP. To start at 3.5 p.m.
4. The EXCHANGE PLATE. To start at 3.50 p.m.
5. The LADIES' MILE. To start at 4.30 p.m.

SPECIAL TRAINS will run to Ashfield Station as follows:—THIS DAY (Saturday), 12.22 p.m. and 12.42 p.m. For Monday see Government Notices.

GEO. W. S. ROWE, Secretary.

5, Tattersall's-chambers, Hunter-street.

CARRINGTON ATHLETIC GROUND.

TO-NIGHT
TO-NIGHT
TO-NIGHT.

10th GRAND HANDICAP, of 210 GUINEAS 210 GUINEAS.

First round starts at 8 o'clock, and will be continued on MONDAY and WEDNESDAY NIGHTS. The GRAND FINAL on SATURDAY NIGHT, 8th instant.

Second Hurdle Handicap, for £25, will be run on SATURDAY AFTERNOON, 15th instant. Entries close on Monday night, 3rd October.

October 29—4th 440 yards Handicap.
November 5—1st 300 yards Handicap.
November 19, 26—11th Grand Handicap, of £180.
December 17, 24—12th Grand Handicap, of £180.
January 14, 21—13th Grand Handicap, of £200.

J. O'DONNELL, Secretary.

ASSOCIATION CRICKET GROUND.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, 1st OCTOBER.

CARLTON v. BELVIDERE.

FIRST MATCH OF THE SEASON.
Play to commence at 2.15 p.m. sharp.
ADMISSION to the Ground, 6d.
STAND and LAWN, 6d extra.
Ladies free to the Ground.

NOTE.—Members are reminded that the Annual Subscription is due on the 1st October, and are requested to obtain their Tickets from the Office of the undersigned, without delay.

S. H. FAIRLAND, Secretary A. C. Ground.

Office, 88, Elizabeth-street.

SIR JOSEPH BANKS 440 YARDS HANDICAP of 100 SOVEREIGNS. To be Run on SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15.

ENTRANCES CLOSE TO-NIGHT, October 1, at Sunnybrook Hotel.

FRANK SMITH.

BOTANY. BOTANY.

SIR JOSEPH BANKS PAVILION and PLEASURE GROUNDS.

EIGHT-HOUR DAY. EIGHT-HOUR DAY.
MONDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1887.
SPORTS for Young and Old at these Beautiful Grounds.

TOM THUMB Steam Engine will ply all day.
DANCING in the PAVILION, under the Conductorship of Six Competent Ms.C., to the ALHAMBRA STRING BAND of 21 Performers.

The usual good order will be enforced.
No two ladies will be allowed to dance together.
No two gentlemen will be allowed to dance together.
Gambling of all kinds strictly prohibited.

Admission to the Whole, 1s; Children, 1s.

Trams and 'Buses to the Gates every few minutes.
FRANK SMITH, Director.

COLUMBIA ELITE SKATING RINK.
EXHIBITION BUILDING.

Under the distinguished patronage of His Excellency the Governor, LORD CARRINGTON, and the Elite of Sydney.

A. N. RIDGELY, Proprietor.
R. A. SKINNER, General Manager.

Open to the public every afternoon and evening; and mornings for ladies, from 10 to 12, free.
The Largest Amusement Palace in the World.
Beautifully Decorated, and Brilliantly Illuminated by Electric Light.

ATTRACTIONS EVERY EVENING.

SELECT MUSIC.

ADMISSION, ONE SHILLING.

THIS SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1.

OPEN ALL THIS DAY FOR SKATING.

RE-ENGAGEMENT of Mr. H. J. WALLACE, PREMIER ARTISTIC SKATER of the WORLD, FOR THREE NIGHTS ONLY, MONDAY, TUESDAY, and WEDNESDAY EVENINGS NEXT, at 9 o'clock EACH NIGHT.

SOCIETY SKATING RINK and RIDING ACADEMY.

DOUBLE BAY.

OPENED DAILY.

The RIDING SCHOOL is now solely under the superintendence of Captain JENNINGS.
Lessons given daily from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
A good seat guaranteed in 12 lessons.

SKATING.

The Rink is open daily as follows:—
MORNINGS, to Ladies, 10 to 12, FREE.
AFTERNOON, Admission and Skates, 1s.
EVENING, 7 to 10, Admission 1s, Skates 1s.

FRANK MERRY, Rink Manager.
Captain E. N. JENNINGS, Riding Master.

SOCIETY SKATING RINK.

DOUBLE BAY.

On MONDAY EVENING next, October 3rd.

Captain JENNINGS, Champion Swordsman of the World, and Professor W. MANNING, late Master-at-Arms, United States Navy, will meet in a BROAD-SWORD CONTEST, for a purse of £20, offered by a few lovers of the sport.

No extra charge for admission.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY, Diocese of Sydney.

The ANNUAL FESTIVAL will be held, by the kind permission of Lady Carrington, in the Inner Domain, on WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, OCTOBER 5, 2 to 6 p.m.
A short Service, with Address by the Primate, at 3.30.
Associates will be admitted by ticket only. Price 1s 6d.
Members will be admitted by showing Guide Books.
Further information can be obtained at the G. F. S. Office, Pitt-street.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

Mrs. ALBAN J. RILEY, associate for unattached members, begs to inform those to whom she has not written, that the ANNUAL FESTIVAL will be held in the Inner Domain on WEDNESDAY NEXT, October 5, at 3 p.m.

Entrance by Government House gates, where members will be admitted on presenting their guide books.

EIGHT-HOUR NIGHT.—Grand QUADRILLE ASSEMBLY, New Oddfellows' Hall, Elizabeth-street. Young Australian Band. Tickets, 2s 6d.

J. P. M'CRORY, Secretary.

DANCING.

Mrs. WARSKITT desires to intimate that the juvenile Pupils of Anders House will give a VISITORS' AFTERNOON at the Criterion Theatre on WEDNESDAY, October 5. Ladies and gentlemen wishing to be present, kindly forward names to Mrs. WARSKITT, 550, Pitt-street.

DANCING.—Mr. R. Collins's Assembly, Monday Evening, October 3, Academy, 137, Regent-street, Redfern.

DANCING.—Private Lessons daily by arrangement. Miss Wilson, 101, Phillip-street, city.

DANCING.—Required, Tuition for girl in graceful step or stage dancing. State terms. Dan, Herald.

DANCING.—The Monday Evening Assembly held as usual at the Oddfellows' Hall, Elizabeth-street.

DANCING.—Mr. A. Read's Class, THIS AFTERNOON, St. George's Hall, 374, Pitt-street.

DANCING.—MONDAY NIGHT, Mr. A. Read's select public assembly, St. George's Hall, 374, Pitt-street.

DAVIES'S NEW BRIGHTON PAVILION, LADY ROBINSON'S BEACH.

OPEN ON EIGHT-HOUR DAY.

DANCING in the spacious Pavilion.

A first-class Brass Band engaged.

Admission—Gents, 1s; Ladies, 1s.

WALTZ thoroughly taught in three private lessons, £1 1s. Miss Lowe, Nicholson and Co.'s, George-street.

JENOLAN CAVES.—Reduced fares for trip, including hotel expenses. Tickets only at Tourist Bureau, 6, Bridge-st.

PEARL BAY RECREATION GROUNDS. Apply Mr. Hansard, 9, Pitt-street, Redfern.

AS MONDAY next will be a Holiday, Boyle's Classes will not meet at Bruce and Massey's, Pitt-street.

GAS STOVES.—Raleigh's Paragon, £1 deposit, £1 monthly. Cooking on Tuesday, 11 till 1. 355, Elizabeth-st.

DRAMATIC Academy.—General rehearsals for pupils Friday evenings. Lessons private. Proteus, Box 225, G.P.O.

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MERCANTILE ROWING CLUB.

THIRTEENTH ANNUAL REGATTA, at the Brush, Parramatta River, on SATURDAY, October 8.

The steamer Wallaby leaves Circular Quay, 2 p.m. sharp, returning at 5.30 p.m. Tickets, to admit one gentleman and two or three ladies, 2s 6d.

JOHN BLACKMAN, Hon. Sec.

HAWKESBURY RIVER EXCURSION.

EIGHT-HOUR DEMONSTRATION.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 3.

The American Saloon Steamer GENERAL GORDON will leave Peat's Ferry on arrival of 8 a.m. train from Sydney, running up the river, and returning to catch afternoon train to Sydney.

Fares: 12s first and 10s second class, including Steamer and Lunch.

Steamer fare alone, 5s return.

Book and obtain particulars at THE TOURIST BUREAU, 6, BRIDGE-STREET.

CORREY'S GARDENS, CABARITA POINT, PARRAMATTA RIVER,

EIGHT-HOUR DEMONSTRATION, 3rd October.

The Attractions and Advantages to PICNICKERS of this PRETTY WATERING-PLACE, especially the Floral Display, are beyond anything that others can offer.

The Spacious and Handsome PAVILION, exceeding by far, both in capacity and beauty, all similar structures in Australia, IS ALONE WORTH A VISIT.

The Ground for Cricket and other Athletic Sports is in first-class order.

The Little Folks can indulge in Swinging, in addition to other Amusements, while the Ladies may enjoy an Afternoon Tea Dance in the Summer Houses.
Hot and Cold Water in abundance Free to Visitors.

The usual Luncheon always provided on short notice.

Society Picnickers and Schools specially treated with.

The YOUNG AUSTRALIAN BAND is ENGAGED for the day, and Dancing in the Grand Pavilion under the direction of Two Efficient M.C.

STEAMERS from KING-STREET, with BAND, at 10 o'clock, and EVERY HALF-HOUR during the Day, with convenient times for return.

N.B.—WAGGONETTES MEET TRAINS at BURWOOD for the GARDENS.

T. CORREY, Proprietor.

CHOWDER BAY. CHOWDER BAY.
8-HOUR DAY. 8-HOUR DAY.

The most distinguished and favourite resort of pleasure-seekers.

A GRAND PICNIC and EXCURSION, under the management of a large and influential committee. The best place to spend the 8-Hour Day. Patronised by the Elite of Sydney. Amusements for old and young (free).

The success which has attended these delightful and ever-popular pleasure grounds of Chowder is one of universal approbation. Three first-class Brass Bands engaged.

Dancing in Thompson's Grand Port Jackson Pavilion, the largest and most favourite in the Australian colonies. Under the supervision of six efficient Ms.C.

STEP-DANCING, STEP-DANCING.

National Moderns engaged for Reels, Jigs, &c., in the newly-erected Step-Dancing Pavilion, open, free of charge, under the sole management of the Champion Step-Dancer of New South Wales.

SPORTS. SPORTS. SPORTS.
Merry-go-round, Swings, and Football. FREE.
Hot Luncheon provided at the Marine Hotel.
Hot and Cold Water in abundance, Free.

N.B. Comfort, safety, and no over-crowding of steamers, the committee having secured, at great expense, a large fleet of fast saloon steamers, to leave the Floating Jetty, foot of Phillip-street, Circular Quay, from 9 a.m. sharp, and thence every 15 minutes up till 2 p.m.

CHEAP FARES—Adults, Return Tickets 1s 6d.
No person admitted to the pavilion without producing a steamer's ticket.

The above delightful pleasure grounds of Chowder Bay are under strict supervision as to respectability.

FERN BAY. FERN BAY.

On MONDAY, OCTOBER 3, A PICNIC will be held at these Favourite SELECT PICNIC GROUNDS.

NO ROUGHS WILL BE ADMITTED.

There is a large Pavilion for DANCING to the MUSIC of Mr. WASSIE'S Splendid BAND of eight soloists. The popular Mr. SELWYN will act as M.C. The catering is under the able management of Messrs. F. ECCLES and CO. Pionicis, and charges moderate.

Steamers leave No. 4 Jetty, Circular Quay, half-hourly; King-street Wharf hourly. Fare, including admission to grounds and pavilion, 2s; children, half-price.

TEMPERANCE DEMONSTRATION.

CREMORNE. CREMORNE.

EIGHT-HOUR DAY. EIGHT-HOUR DAY.
MONDAY, 3rd October, 1887.

THE YOUNG AUSTRALIAN BAND specially engaged to play throughout the day in the large pavilion.

300 prizes will be distributed amongst the juveniles. Foot Races, Swings, and all kinds of Amusements.
Three large steamers will ply from No. 3 Jetty, Circular Quay, every ten minutes from 8.30 a.m. till 2 p.m.
Refreshments at Sydney prices.
Hot and Cold Water free.
Adults, 1s 6d; children, 9d.

W. NICHOLSON, Manager.

ALEXANDRIA WESLEYAN SUNDAY-SCHOOL.

FOURTH ANNUAL PICNIC of the above will take place in connection with the Tempe Park Wesleyan Sunday-school on EIGHT-HOUR DAY, MONDAY, 3rd October, 1887, to Mrs. Darrell's Picnic Grounds, Ryde.

Tickets, 1s 6d; children, 1s. Train leaves Tempe at 8.57 a.m.; St. Peters, 9.02 a.m.; Erskineville, 9.04 a.m.; Eveleigh, 9.10 a.m.; Newtown, 9.45 a.m.; and Petersham, 9.55 a.m. Returning at 5.30 p.m. from Ryde.

HOT and COLD WATER PROVIDED FREE.

HENRY A. STANLEY, Secretary.

WESLEY CHURCH SABBATH SCHOOL, CHIPPENDALE.

ANNUAL EXCURSION on MONDAY next, October 3, to Tennyson. Two steamers from Floating Jetty at 8.30, 9.30, 11, 12.30, and 2, returning at 4, 5, and 6.
Tickets: Adults, 1s 6d; Children 1s.

GERMAN ASSOCIATION.

The Annual PICNIC of the German Association will be held at Mr. F. Smith's well-known Sir Joseph Bank's Hotel, Botany, on MONDAY, October 17, 1887. Dancing in the large pavilion.

Full German Band. Races for numerous and valuable prizes.
Tickets, 2s; Children half price.

BUILDERS' and CONTRACTORS' ASSOCIATION'S ANNUAL PICNIC.—The fifteenth annual reunion of the Builders and Contractors' Association will be celebrated by a PICNIC, to be held at the Sir Joseph Banks Pleasure Grounds, Botany, on TUESDAY, 11th October. Tickets can be obtained at Builders' Exchange, Pitt-street, or from any of the members of the committee.

ENOS DYER, Hon. Sec.

DEUTSCHER TURNVEREIN.

Wiederbeginn des Turnens in der Turnhalle, 203, Pitt-street, am DIENSTAG, den 4ten Oktober. DER TURNWART.

Y.M.C.A. GYMNASIUM.—GRAND ATHLETIC DISPLAY by members of the above in the large hall of the Association, on FRIDAY, October 14th, at 8 p.m.
His Honor Sir F. M. Darley in the chair.
Reserved seats and gallery, 2s; back seats, 1s.

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### Religious Announcements.

ANNANDALE HUNTER-BAILLIE MEMORIAL CHURCH.—Rev. P. Falconer Mackenzie, 11 and 7.

ASHFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH, Holden-street.—Morning, Rev. F. Hibberd; Evening, Rev. — Dash.

A WELSH Sermon by the Rev. I. Williams, Sunday Evening, at 7, Kent-street, out of Bathurst-street.

AT the TABERNACLE, Metropolitan-road, Enmore, Mr. HAWKINS, Evangelist, from America, will preach on SUNDAY, October 2. Subject: "Popular Excuses." Come and hear and judge for yourselves.

ALL SAINTS', WOOLLAHRA, OCTOBER 2.

8 a.m., Holy Communion.
11 a.m., Matins and Litany.
Preacher, Rev. W. EVANS.

3 p.m., Evensong.
Preacher, The INCUMBENT.

Quarterly Collections for Church Building Debt.

ANNIVERSARY OF THE PRINCES-STREET WESLEYAN SABBATH SCHOOL.

SUNDAY, October 2—Morning, at 11, Rev. Jas. Woodhouse; Afternoon, at 3, Rev. John M'Neil; Evening, at 7, Rev. W. G. R. Stephinson (president of the conference). The scholars, under the leadership of Mr. H. D. Gilbert, will sing Special Hymns at each service. Collections in aid of the School Fund.

On MONDAY EVENING, 3rd, a Public MEETING will be held, when Addresses will be delivered by the above Ministers, and the scholars will sing and recite pieces. Chair to be taken at 7.30.

BAPTIST CHURCH, Oddfellows' Hall, Woollahra. Rev. D. Davis, pastor. Morning, 11; evening, 7.

BATHURST-ST. BAPTIST CHURCH.—To-morrow, Rev. Charles Bright, morning 11, and evening 7.

BOURKE-STREET WESLEYAN CHURCH.—Rev. S. H. M'Dade, 11 a.m.; Rev. R. Dyson, 7 p.m.

BOURKE-ST. CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Rev. JAMES HILL, M.A., morning and evening.

BURWOOD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—The Rev. A. Osborne, M.A., To-morrow, at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

CHALMERS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. DAVID SMITH, M.A., 11 and 7.

CLEVELAND-STREET Wesleyan Church.—Rev. J. A. Bowring, 11 a.m.; Rev. S. H. M'Dade, 7 p.m.

CATHOLIC APOSTOLIC CHURCH, Brougham-st. (next Art Academy) Woolloomooloo.—Sermon, SUNDAY, at 7, "The end of the World or Age," "And then shall the end come." Matt. xxiv., 14. All seats free.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, NEWTOWN.

SUNDAY EVENING LECTURES to YOUNG MEN by the Rev. WARLOW DAVIES, M.A. "LESSONS from the LIFE OF JOSEPH." No. 2, To-morrow. "ON SERVING ONE'S GENERATION—A NOBLE EXAMPLE."

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Petersham.

SUNDAY SERVICES are held in the Town Hall during Alterations to the Church Building.

Services TO-MORROW, at 11 and 7. Rev. Joseph Robertson, M.A.

CLEVELAND-STREET SABBATH SCHOOL.—18th ANNIVERSARY on SUNDAY, October 9, 1887. Morning, at 11 o'clock, Rev. J. Austin; Evening, at 7 o'clock, Rev. J. H. Fletcher; afternoon, at 3 o'clock, Rev. J. Woolnough. For full particulars see next Saturday's paper.

W. M'EVOY, Hon. Secretary.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, WATERLOO. Sunday School Anniversary.
Morning—Rev. T. P. FORSAITH.
Afternoon—Rev. G. RAYNER (Flower Service).
Evening—Rev. R. ADAMS.
Annual PICNIC on MONDAY at Pearl Bay.

CHRIST CHURCH, SYDNEY.

SUNDAY, 2nd OCTOBER.

Holy Communion, 7.30 a.m.
Matins, 11 a.m.
Evensong, 7 p.m.

DARLINGTON Council Hall (Congregational).—Morning, 11, Evening, 7. Rev. W. Rilling.

DEVONSHIRE-STREET Congregational Church.—Rev. G. PRESTON will preach to-morrow, morn. and even'g.

EVE CHURCH OF ENGLAND, Kogarah.—Mr. Bowers 11; Mr. Caton, 7. Sacrament after Eve. Service.

GLEBE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, St. John's-road. To-morrow, 11 and 7, Rev. T. E. O. Moll.

GLEBE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—The Rev. Andrew Gardiner, M.A., To-morrow, at 11 and 7.

GLEBE WESLEYAN CHURCH, GLEBE. Rev. W. Hall, B.A., 11; Rev. R. Colwell, 7. Camperdown: Student, 11; Rev. W. Hall, B.A., 7.

HARRIS-ST. Baptist Church.—Pastor Taylor will preach, Lord's day Morning, 11; evening, at 7. All welcome.

METHODIST MONTHLY HOLINESS MEETING TO-DAY, 3 p.m., Y. M. C. A. Rooms, Pitt-street.

MISSION CHURCH, Sussex and Liverpool streets.—Evening subject, "The Divine Atonement."

NEW CHURCH, Sydney Society.—Temperance Hall, Upper Room, Sunday, Oct. 2, Divine services, 11, 7.

NEWTOWN WESLEYAN CHURCH.—To-morrow, Rev. S. Wilkinson, at 11; Rev. Charles Stead, at 7.

PALMER-STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. The Rev. Dr. Gilchrist will preach To-morrow, 11 and 7.

PITT-STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Dr. Jefferis will Preach morning and evening.

PITT-STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. Henry Macready, 11; Rev. Thomas Hill, 7.

PRIMITIVE METHODIST.—Albion-street, Surry-Hills, 11, Rev. J. W. Hotley; 7, Mr. P. Tyas. Ross-street, Darlington, 11, Mr. K. Cooper; 7, J. W. Hooten.

PYRMONT Congregational Church.—Rev. James Buchan, M.A., Evening. 16: Beatitude: "Divine Sonship of the Peacemakers."

POINT PIPER CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

It is proposed to mark the completion of the NEW VESTRY by a short DEDICATORY SERVICE, to be held THIS AFTERNOON, October 1st, at 3 o'clock. The Rev. J. G. FRASER will preside, and it is hoped a number of old friends will be present.

RANDWICK Wesleyan Church.—Rev. R. Dyson, 11 a.m.; Rev. J. Woolnough, 7 p.m.

REDFERN CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Rev. GEORGE CAMPBELL, To-morrow morning and evening.

ST. DAVID'S CHURCH, Arthur-street, Surry Hills.—Sunday, October 2, Rev. J. Hargrave, at 11 and 7.

ST. PETER'S, WOOLLOOMOOLOO.—Oct. 2, 11 a.m., Rev. T. S. Tress. Holy Communion; 7 p.m., Rev. T. S. Tress.

ST. PHILIP'S, Church-hill.—Morning, 11, Rev. W. E. H. Percival; Evening 7, Most Rev. The Primate.

ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH, Phillip-st.—The Rev. Dr. Steel will preach To-morrow, at 11 and 7.

ST. SILAS'S, Waterloo.—Rev. W. H. Tarrington, LL.B., will preach—morning 11, evening 7.

ST. SIMON and ST. JUDE'S, Campbell-street, Surry Hills.—Rev. Mr. Irving, 11; Rev. Mr. Evans, 7. Flower Service at 3; preacher, the Rev. J. Hargrave.

SCOTS CHURCH.—Rev. W. M. DILL MACKY, 11 a.m., 7 p.m.
Subjects: Morning, "The Lord our Keeper." Evening, Review of Mr. Ryan's Sermon continued—"The Church. What is it?"

SPIRITUALISTIC ASSOCIATION of NEW SOUTH WALES.—SERVICE at West's Academy TO-MORROW (Sunday), at 11 a.m. All respectable persons, spiritualists or non-spiritualists, whether in town or country, invited to affiliate for purposes of investigation. Flower Service will be held on SUNDAY FORTNIGHT. J. Walter Small, Hon. Sec., Terry-st., Bal'n.

SUMMER HILL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Rev. W. J. L. CLOSS TO-MORROW, at 11 and 7.
NEXT SUNDAY, 9th instant, Sunday-school Anniversary.
Rev. Dr. Jefferis—Morning, at 11.
Rev. W. J. L. Closs—Flower Service, Afternoon, at 3.
Rev. George Campbell—Evening, at 7.

ST. JOHN'S, Darlinghurst.—COLLECTIONS will be made TO-MORROW, morning and evening, in aid of the funds of the Parochial Day Schools. Preachers—11 a.m., the Most Rev. the Primate; 7.30 p.m., the Incumbent.

ARTHUR W. PAIN, Incumbent.
R. EDWARD A. ALLAN, BROUGHTON KYNGDON, H. M. STEPHEN } Churchwardens.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHRISTIAN DOCTRINE CONFRATERNITY, Newtown.—Fifteenth Annual Excursion to Clontarf on MONDAY, October 10, 1887. Two powerful Steamers will leave the Floating Jetty, foot of Phillip-street, Circular Quay, every hour, from 9 a.m. till 2 p.m. First steamer returns at 4 o'clock. An efficient and popular band and talented musicians engaged. Hot and cold water free. Tickets—Adults, 2s; children, 1s.

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11 a.m., Rev. ALEX. MILLER, M.A.
3 p.m., Children's Flower Service. Address by Rev. R. Collie, F.L.S.
7 p.m., Rev. JOHN M. ROSS.

ST. ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL.

17TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

HOLY COMMUNION, 8 a.m., and after Morning Service.

Preachers—11 a.m., Rev. E. C. BECK, A.K.C.
3.15 p.m., The Most Rev. THE PRIMATE.
7.30 p.m., The PRECENTOR.

The Cathedral Choir will be largely augmented at the Afternoon Service by members of other Church Choirs.
The Primate will preach on "The Music of the Bible."
Offertories in aid of the Cathedral Choir Fund.
N.B.—During the summer months the Sunday Evening Service commences at 7.30.

HOLY BAPTISMS—SUNDAY, 4.15 p.m., WEDNESDAY, 7 p.m. punctually.

ST. JOHN'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Paddington.—SABBATH EVENING LECTURES, by the Rev. Dr. GILCHRIST, on "Human Life." Subjects:—
October 2.—"Infancy: The influence of impressions."
October 9.—"Childhood: The values of education."
October 16.—"Young Manhood: Girding on the armour for the battle of life."
October 23.—"Young Womanhood: The charm of unfading beauty."
October 30.—"Courtship: The magic spell."
November 6.—"Marriage: The true oneness of husband and wife."
November 13.—"Home, Sweet Home: Domestic felicity."
November 20.—"Getting On: Industry, steadiness, thrift."
November 27.—"Life's Shadows: Reverses, disappointments, losses, bereavements."
December 4.—"The Evening: Preparing to enter into the cloud."
December 11.—"Death: The blessed transition."

THE ANNUAL FLORAL SERVICE will be held in the Unitarian Church, Liverpool-street, Hyde Park, on SUNDAY (To-morrow), at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Subject—Morning, "The Spring Time of a New Faith." Evening, "The Golden Gate of Life."
Special Offertory.

UNITARIAN CHURCH.
FLORAL FESTIVAL.
At Evening Service TO-MORROW Miss BERTIE CHAPMAN will sing "With Verdure Clad."

WAVERLEY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Rev. Arthur Z. Collins, Morning at 11, Evening at 7.

WESLEYAN CHURCH, St. Leonards.—11 a.m., Rev. J. Parker; 7 p.m., Rev. Joseph H. Fletcher.

WESLEYAN, Leichhardt.—Mr. Davies, 11; Rev. J. H. Lewis, 7. Marrickville: Rev. Lewis, 11; Rev. Bowes, 7.

WESLEYAN, Stanmore.—Rev. G. Martin, 11 and 7; evening, "Our Christian Evidences."

WESLEY CHURCH, Regent-street.—Morning 11, Evening 7, Rev. E. SELLORS, D.D.

WAVERLEY Presbyterian Church.—Rev. John MacNeil, B.A., 11, Children's Service; 7, "A Sensible Sinner's Autobiography."

Y.M.C.A. YOUNG MEN'S MEETING, THIS (Saturday) EVENING, at 7.30. Strangers welcome.

Y.M.C.A. BIBLE CLASS To-morrow, SUNDAY at 3. Strangers welcome.

Y.M.C.A. GOSPEL SERVICE, To-morrow, SUNDAY, at 7.30. Large choir.

Y.M.C.A.—EXCURSION to Pearl Bay, Prince of Wales Birthday. Tickets, 3s.

A CHRISTIAN CONVENTION (the 2nd annual) will be held in New Oddfellows' Hall, Elizabeth-street, below Liverpool-street, AFTERNOONS and EVENINGS, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, October 5, 6 and 7.
Subject: "The Holy Spirit."
The Primate delivers opening address.
The Tuesday Evening Monthly Conference will not be held.

JOHN MACNEIL, Hon. Sec.

BAPTIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

A Valedictory SERVICE will be held in the Baptist Church, Bathurst-street, on MONDAY next, October 3, at 7.45 p.m., to take farewell of Miss DENNESS, Zenana Missionary, prior to her departure for Comumilla, India.

Several ministers and Miss Denness will take part in the service.

The Rev. C. BRIGHT, Chairman of the Baptist Union, will preside.

FREDERICK HIBBERD, Hon. Sec.

CHRISTIAN EVIDENCE SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

THE FOURTH of a SERIES of LECTURES will, God willing, be delivered by The Most Rev. the PRIMATE, in the LARGE HALL of the Y. M. C. A., on MONDAY, OCTOBER 3.

Subject—"SOME MODERN LIGHTS OF SCIENCE OF THE OLD FAITH."

The chair will be taken by Hon. G. A. Lloyd, M.L.C., at 8 p.m.

MOSSMAN'S BAY CHURCH OF ENGLAND.

A Public MEETING will be held in the School Hall, Bay View-street, on FRIDAY EVENING, 7th OCTOBER, at 8 p.m.
The chair will be taken by the Rev. O. NORTH ASH, Incumbent.

BUSINESS:
Election of Church Officers, &c.

NEW WESLEYAN CHURCH, Waverley, corner of Cowper-street and Old South Head-road.
The MEMORIAL STONES will be laid THIS DAY, the 1st October, by Mrs. SCHOFIELD and the Hon. E. VICKERY, M.L.C. The ceremony will commence at 3 p.m. Addresses will be delivered by the Rev. W. G. R. Stephinson, President of the Conference, and the Rev. Charles Stead. Collection. Trams from Sydney, 2.12 and 2.42 p.m.; from Waverley, 4.20, 4.48, 5.28 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN SABBATH-SCHOOL ANNUAL FLOWER SERVICE, THIS DAY, in PROTESTANT HALL, at 3 o'clock.

Collection in aid of Prize Fund.
Distribution of prizes and certificates of honour gained at the late examination, during the service.
Programmes of hymns can be had at the Hall.
Doors open at 2.15.
Flowers collected after the service for the sick in the hospitals.

SYDNEY CITY MISSION.
Ladies' Committee will meet on MONDAY, October 3, 2.15 p.m.
LAURA E. HUGO, Hon. Sec.

ST. ANDREW'S, SUMMER HILL.
Rev. John Vaughan, 11 and 7.
THE SALE of WORK will be opened by Sir Henry Parkes, K.C.M.G., on TUESDAY next, at 2.30, and will continue Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, from 2.30 to 5.30 and 7 to 10. Grand Promenade Concert, Wednesday. See Programme.

SCOTS CHURCH, Church-hill.—A MEETING of the Congregation of the above Church, held on the 13th instant, having resolved to renew the Bond and Ceiling, and otherwise improve the Building, the friends of the Historic Church and of the late Rev. Dr. John Dunmore Lang are respectfully but earnestly invited to aid in carrying out the work. Subscriptions or donations will be received by Mrs. Lang, the Rev. Mr. Macky, Minister of the Church, by any member of the committee, or by the undersigned.

WILL. NEILL, The City Bank.

Sydney, June 24, 1887.

WOMAN'S CHRIS. TEM. UNION.—Full Meeting desirable Wed. Next, Oct. 5, 3 p.m., Temp. Hall, Pitt-st.

YOUNG WOMEN'S PRAYER UNION TEA MEETING, Oct. 10, Temperance Hall. Tickets, 1s. 6.30.

THE AUSTRALIAN RECORD, C. of E. Weekly Newspaper. Contents:—Latest Australian and Colonial Church News. The Week—Preaching—Lady Nurses—Reminiscences of Colonial Clergy—The Rev. R. Taylor—Diocesan Synod—Dr. Barnardo's Village Homes—Standing or Sitting—Temperance—Correspondence—Children's Column, &c. Price, 2d. 176, Pitt-st.

SMALL Church-built HALL, 2 entrances, stage, piano, vacant for services, &c. 177a, Liverpool-st., next church.

### Lectures.

SYDNEY MECHANICS' SCHOOL OF ARTS.

A LECTURE (illustrated by the aid of the oxy-hydrogen lantern) will be delivered by Mr. FREDERIC BEVILL, M.A., THIS (Saturday) EVENING, at 8 o'clock.

"GABRIEL GRUB" (from Dickens).

Admission, 6d.

HENRY A. PODMORE, Secretary.

SYDNEY MECHANICS' SCHOOL OF ARTS.

LECTURES ON LITERATURE.

The FOURTH LECTURE of the Series will be delivered by Rev. CANON KEMMIS, on TUESDAY, 4th OCTOBER.

HENRY A. PODMORE, Secretary.

BOARD OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION.

The following FREE LECTURES will be delivered next week in the Technical Hall, Pitt-street, commencing at 8 p.m.:—
"Our Semi-tropical Products—Tobacco in the practical and scientific sense, as relating to smoking, chewing, cigars, cigarettes, &c.," by Mr. Angus Mackay, Instructor in agriculture.
"House Health—Fresh air, what it really is, and how to try for it," by Mr. John L. Bruce, I. A.
"A Week's Work in a well-regulated House," by Mrs. A. Fawcett Story, Instructress in Domestic Economy.

HUGH POLLOCK, B.A., Acting Secretary.

MR. THOMAS WALKER will deliver a LECTURE on SUNDAY EVENING NEXT, at Spencer's Academy, 616, George-street (next Lawlor's), on ATHEISM, being a reply to the Rev. Mervyn Archdall.
Musical Programme.
Doors open 6.45, Lecture 7.30.
Admission, 1s and 6d.
LOOK OUT FOR SOCIAL.

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HOW to Strengthen the Memory, 2s; post, 2s 2d. Thompson and Co., booksellers, 314, George-street.

FOWLER'S ESTATE, Camperdown, THIS DAY, October 1, on the Ground, at 3 o'clock; Terms: title; 10 per cent. deposit, balance 5 years at 6 per cent. Plans ready. HARDIE and GORMAN.

TIMBER.—Unreserved SALE This Afternoon, at 2.30, at Hudson's, Kogarah. Garrard and Hamilton sell.

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## Meetings.

SIR HENRY PARKES, K.C.M.G., will deliver an ADDRESS entitled "The Founders and Defenders of British Liberty," in the SCHOOL OF ARTS, BALMAIN, on MONDAY EVENING, October 3rd. Captain Tronton, J.P., will preside. Admission by ticket only, to be obtained from the committee:—Messrs. J. Garrard, J. S. Hawthorn, F. J. Smith, J. Booth, F. H. Trouton, A. Elkington, G. Clubb, S. J. Young, M. A. H. Fitzhardinge, E. Robinson, J. Swain, W. A. Hutchinson, A. Bowen, and H. Perdriau.

FRANK J. SMITH, Honorary Secretary.
177, Pitt-street.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Quarterly MEETING of the Metropolitan Licensing Court will be holden at the Central Police Office, Sydney, on TUESDAY, the 18th day of October, 1887, at noon, for the purpose of transacting any business that may be legally brought before the said Court.

C. DELOHERY, Clerk of Petty Sessions.
Central Police Office, Sydney, 17th September, 1887.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING.

The Annual General MEETING of the Society will be held at the Offices, Tattersall's-buildings, Hunter-street, on THURSDAY, 13th December, 1887, at 2.30.

BUSINESS:
To receive Report and Balance-sheet.
To elect a Patron, a President, two Vice-Presidents, and 10 Members for the Council, the present office-bearers retiring by effluxion of term of office, in accordance with Rule 18.

F. WEBSTER, Secretary.
Sydney, 27th September, 1887.

NOMINATION OF OFFICE-BEARERS.
14. Any Member desiring to nominate Office-bearers of the Society shall so do in writing to the Secretary twenty-eight days at least prior to the date of the Annual General Meeting, or other day fixed for the election thereof. All such nominations shall be forthwith posted in the Society's rooms, and published in two Sydney daily newspapers fourteen days at least prior to the election.

THE ANNUAL PUBLIC MEETING of the CITY NIGHT REFUGE and SOUP KITCHEN and the OPENING of the NEW BUILDING will take place on MONDAY next, 3rd October, at the Institution, 381, Kent-street.
The chair will be taken at 3 p.m., by His Excellency LORD CARRINGTON.
Speakers—The Hon. Sir Henry Parkes, Premier; The Most Reverend the Primate; His Worship the Mayor and others.
The friends of the charity and the public generally are earnestly invited to attend.

ROBERT GUY, Hon. Secretary.

OUR CHILDREN'S HOME, Liverpool.—Opening CEREMONY, SATURDAY, Oct. 8, 3 p.m. The Hon. E. Vickery, M.L.C., will preside. Trains leave Sydney at 1 and 1.35 p.m. Subscribers and friends invited. G. E. ARDILL, Director.

PROTECTION League Meets Temperance Hall, Wednesday. Business: Proposed increase of annual fee. Secy.

THE SYDNEY PROGRESSIVE SOCIETY of CARPENTERS and JOINERS will meet in the Banner at the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, at 8 o'clock THIS EVENING, October 1. Fellow-workmen, both unionists and non-unionists, are cordially invited to be present. J. T. SHIRLEY, President. J. C. SIMPSON, Secretary.

COOGEE CLUB.—Members are requested to meet at 4 o'clock THIS AFTERNOON, 1st October, to elect committee and officers for ensuing year.

A. O.F. COURT, Sydney, No. 2002.—In consequence of the 3rd of October being a Public Holiday, there will be NO MEETING. J. DUNBAR, C.R. W. G. PEARCE, Sec.

UNION RECREATION CLUB, Limited. Club Room and Grounds, Strathfield.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sixth Annual General MEETING of members will be held at the Club, on WEDNESDAY, the 5th October instant, at 8 p.m., to receive the Committee's Report for year ended 30th September, 1887; elect office-bearers for the ensuing year, and transact such other business as may be submitted, in accordance with the rules.

J. C. REMINGTON, Hon. Secretary and Treasurer.
October 1, 1887.

ST. JOSEPH'S INVESTMENT AND BUILDING SOCIETY.

Offices, 73, Elizabeth-street.

SUBSCRIPTION MEETING.

Board of Directors:
Chairman: P. R. LARKIN, Esq.
Deputy Chairman: Robert Butcher, Esq., M.P.
Michael Tierney, Esq. | William Hughes, Esq., J.P.
Edward F. Flanagan, Esq. | Richard M'Auley, Esq.
John Purcell, Esq.

TO PERSONS ABOUT TO BORROW.
This Society is prepared to advance from two-thirds to three-fourths, according to the value of the security, on Mortgage of Freehold or Long Leasehold Property, repayable by equal monthly instalments, in three, five, seven, ten, twelve, or fifteen years, at the option of the borrower.

Borrowers are reminded that the MONTHLY SUBSCRIPTION FALLS DUE WEDNESDAY, Oct. 5, between the hours of 10 and 4, and 7 and 8.30 o'clock in the evening.
To INVESTORS. DEPOSITS received in any sums. The highest current rates allowed.

EDWARD J. RUBIE, Manager.

ILLAWARRA STEAM N. COMPANY.

A Half-yearly General MEETING of Proprietors in this Company will be held at the Chamber of Commerce, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, 12th October, at 11 a.m.
To receive a report from the Board, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting, in terms of the Deed of Settlement.
By order of the Board.

A. C. TURNER, Manager.
I. S. N. Company's Offices, 24th September, 1887.

BOWENFELS COAL-MINING AND COPPER-SMELTING COMPANY, Limited.—A MEETING of Shareholders will be held on MONDAY, the 3rd October, at 3 p.m., at No. 1, Bent-street, to take into consideration the propriety of dissolving the company.

A. S. BLACK, Manager.

COSGROVE'S OLD DREAM SILVER-MINING COMPANY, Limited.
Broken Hill.

Special MEETING of Shareholders will take place at Company's Offices, 49, Castlereagh-street, Sydney, on MONDAY, 3rd October, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of confirming the following resolution, passed at meeting held on 19th September, 1887, as follows:—
That the capital of the Company be increased to £500,000, in 100,000 shares of £5 each.
That the shares be divided into 90,000 fully paid up and 10,000 contributing shares, issued as paid up to £3, and liable to contribute £2 per share.
That the whole of the money raised by the issue of the contributing shares be devoted exclusively in the development of the mine.

JAMES COSGROVE, Manager.

## Public Notices.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
In Insolvency.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

ACCOUNTS with plans of distribution in the undermentioned estates, showing dividends as specified, are now filed in the office of the Registrar in Insolvency, Phillip-street, Sydney, for the inspection of creditors, and notice is hereby given that the same will be submitted to the Court for confirmation on THURSDAY, the 20th October, 1887, at 11 a.m., if not previously objected to:—
MORRIS BUSCHNITZ, of Elizabeth and Hunter streets, Sydney, tobacconist (No. 22,000), a first account and plan showing payment in full of one preferential debt; and a dividend of ... in the £ upon concurrent proved debts.
SIDNEY ALEXANDER SMITH, of Tranfield-street, Balmain, commission agent (No. 22,020), a first account and plan showing payment in full of one preferential debt; and a dividend of 3s 10½d in the £ upon concurrent proved debts.
WILLIAM JOHN COLEMAN, of Birkenhead, Five Dock, baker (No. 21,990), a first account and plan showing a dividend of 1s 6d in the £ upon concurrent proved debts.
In the following estate on account current only, showing a debit balance:—
JAMES WATERHOUSE KING, of Broken Hill, assayer (No. 21,487).

LANCELOT T. LLOYD, Official Assignee.
29, Denman-chambers, Phillip-street.
Sydney, 30th September, 1887.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction.

In the Will of JOHN KIRBY, late of Raper-street, Surry Hills, Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Miner, deceased.
PURSUANT to the Trust Property Act of 1862, all persons having any claims against the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are required to send in full particulars of the same to the Executor, care of the undersigned, on or before the thirtieth day of October next, after which date the estate will be distributed, having regard only to the claims of which the Executor shall then have had notice.
Dated this 30th day of September, 1887.

JOSEPH BERNARD MURRAY-WHITE, Proctor for the Executor, 69, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

NOTICE is hereby given, that under and by virtue of an Indenture dated the twenty-fourth day of March, 1887, made between JOHN WILSON and JOSEPH PATTINSON, of No. 32, York-street, Sydney, trading as Wilson, Pattinson, and Company, warehousemen, of the one part; and THE MERCANTILE FINANCE GUARANTEE and AGENCY COMPANY, Limited, of Melbourne, of the other part; the said John Wilson and Joseph Pattinson, and each of them did for divers good causes and valuable considerations assign and transfer unto the said Company, their successors and assigns, all and singular the book debts, sums and sums of money whatsoever, which then were, or which should or might be at any time or times thereafter during the continuance of the security constituted by the said indenture, due, owing, or payable to the said John Wilson and Joseph Pattinson. And further take notice, that the said security is now in full force and effect, and that you are hereby required to pay to the said Company, or to WILLIAM THOMAS BALL, of No. 33, York-street, Sydney, aforesaid the agent of the said Company, all and singular the debt and debts, sum and sums of money now due or owing or hereafter to become due or owing by you to the said John Wilson and Joseph Pattinson; and that you are hereby required not to pay the same, or any part thereof, to any person whomsoever, unless such person shall be duly authorised to collect and receive the same by the said Company.
Dated this 30th day of September, 1887.

A. LYELL, Inspector of and for, and on behalf of, the Mercantile Finance, Guarantee, and Agency Company, Limited.
45, Elizabeth-street, Melbourne.

OPERATIVE STONEMASONS.—All Members of the TRADE are invited to walk in the Procession 8-hours Demonstration. Rendezvous—Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, 8 a.m. sharp, October 3. JOHN GRANT, Secretary.

ELECTRIC BELTS, world-famed (Pulvermacher's). Frost and Shipham, 474 and 387, George-st., sole agents.

THIS DAY, BUILDING SITES, Fowler's Estate, Camperdown. HARDIE and GORMAN, 133, Pitt-street.

NEW SOUTH WALES INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB AND THE BLIND.

The undermentioned Subscriptions received during the month of September are thankfully acknowledged:—

| | £ | s. | d. |
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| Dr. Renwick, Elizabeth-street | 21 | 2 | 0 |
| Dr. P. S. Jones, College-street | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Hudson Brothers, Limited | 1 | 1 | 0 |
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| Subscriptions under £1 | 8 | 10 | 6 |
| | £322 | 2 | 6 |

Miss England, Darlington, 4 cases oranges
Mrs. Windeyer, Raymond Terrace, 1 large case oranges

Further Subscriptions respectfully solicited.

ROBERT HILLS, Hon. Treasurer.
ELLIS ROBINSON, Hon. Secretary.
243 and 245, Castlereagh-st., Sydney.

THE WALTHAM WATCH COMPANY, MASS., U.S.A.—T. M. ALDCORN, Agent, 673, George-street, Haymarket, desires to notify the public that his ESTABLISHMENT will be CLOSED on MONDAY, 3rd instant.

EIGHT-HOUR DEMONSTRATION.—LAWLER'S Central Emporium, 608, George-street, Sydney, closed on MONDAY, October 3, 1887.
The Great October Sale on TUESDAY. Be early.

THE HAYMARKET PERMANENT LAND, BUILDING, and INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited, Corn Exchange, Haymarket.
MONDAY, 3rd instant, being a Public Holiday, the Offices of the above Company will be CLOSED. By order.
J. W. DUESBURY, Manager.

THE INTERCOLONIAL INVESTMENT, LAND, and BUILDING COMPANY, Limited, 86, Bathurst-street, Sydney.
MONDAY, the 3rd October, being a public holiday, the offices of the above Company will be CLOSED.
W. SIMPSON, Managing Director.

OUR TURKISH BATHS, HOT WATER BATHS, and HAIRDRESSING ROOMS will be CLOSED on MONDAY, October 3, that day being a public holiday, on account of the Eight-hour Demonstration.
CHAS. E. WIRZELL, Proprietor, Oxford-street, city.

ST. JOSEPH'S INVESTMENT AND BUILDING SOCIETY, 73, Elizabeth-street North.
MONDAY, October 3, 1887, being a Public Holiday, the Offices of the above will be CLOSED.
E. J. RUBIE, Manager.

A SAVING OF £75 A-YEAR.—LARGE ADDITIONAL PREMISES.—MARSHALL BROTHERS have opened a large Central City Drug Emporium in George-st., where prescriptions are dispensed at reform prices. Drugs, Patent Medicines, &c., are sold at wholesale prices. MARSHALL BROTHERS, Pharmaceutical Chemists, 402, George-st., 2 doors from King-st. Branch : and at 306, Market-st.; also Reform Drug-store Establishment, 235, Elizabeth-st., Sydney. N.B.—Their popular specialty, Marshall's Tonic Nervine, is still carefully prepared from the choicest drugs procurable in the London market.

NOTICE TO BUTCHERS.—The Sydney Refrigerating Company's Chambers, Darling Harbour, are now OPEN for COLD STORAGE of MEAT, &c. All joints of meat stored at one farthing (¼d) per lb. per week.

NOTICE.—The undersigned will not be responsible for Goods ordered by their Partners (s) unless delivered AT THEIR STORES and signed for per WING SUN, Manager.
QUONG YEE CHONG and CO., Castlereagh-street South.

IF A. A. LOWE does not call for his effects within 7 days of this notice, at 173, York-street, they will be disposed of. J. W.

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ADVANCES MADE on STATIONS and STOCK, also on WOOL and OTHER PRODUCE for Sale in Sydney, or for Shipment to London.

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W. WILKINS, Secretary.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, Wool and Produce Brokers,
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OFFICE and STORES—Circular Quay, Sydney.
Liberal advances, if required, made on all Produce or Stock consigned to us.

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Branches at Engine-street, Haymarket; Newtown; Marrickville; Petersham; Ashfield; Burwood; Parramatta.
Best MOUNTAIN COAL, 13s 6d per ton at the depots.
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FIREWOOD, BREEZE, &c., at lowest rates.
G. M. SMYTH, Manager.

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The undersigned, now on a visit to England, will undertake the Sale of Landed Estates, Mining Properties, Loans on Mortgage, Shipments of Goods and Machinery, or any other Agency Business.
Interim address, care of the Mercantile Bank of Sydney, London.
FREDERICK COOK, formerly Manager Union Bank of Australia, Ballarat.

FERNBANK, Marrickville.—Auction Sale, Saturday, 22nd October; best position, easy terms, assistance to build.

DIBBS'S BONDED and FREE STORES, DIBBS'S WHARF.

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ENGLISH AGENCY.—The undersigned, established in London upwards of twenty years, confine themselves exclusively to a general Commission Business; are well acquainted with Australian requirements, and possess special facilities for purchasing goods to the best advantage in the English markets.
Indents should be accompanied by cash remittance or bank letters of credit, to ensure full trade discounts. Account sales of produce under consignment rendered promptly, and net proceeds invested to order, every attention being devoted to the eligible shipment and insurance of all goods passing through their hands.
H. S. LLOYD and CO., No. 8, George-yard, Lombard-street, London.

THE No. 1 Basin of the Sydney Bathing Company will be opened by his Worship the Mayor on OCTOBER 1. See Amusement Column.

EMPRESS of India CURRY POWDER secured at Calcutta the only gold medal ever awarded for CURRY.

HOGG'S Empress BAKING POWDER has secured another FIRST PRIZE at Adelaide Exhibition.

DOGS REGISTERED.—Owners are reminded the time is drawing close. Register at once.
CROFTS, 90, William-street, near Crown-street.

FOWLER'S ESTATE, Camperdown, THIS DAY, October 1, on the Ground, at 3 o'clock; Torrens' title; 10 per cent. deposit, balance 5 years at 6 per cent. Plans ready.
HARDIE and GORMAN.

## Tenders.

BOROUGH OF ST. LEONARDS.

TENDERS are invited until 7 p.m. on TUESDAY, the 4th October, for the following works:—
Clearing, Stumping, and forming Harbour-street
Clearing and Stumping Bay-road
Clearing and Stumping roads near Middle Harbour.

Plans and specifications may be seen at this office, or at the office of Mr. John Carter, Borough Engineer, Miller-street, St. Leonards.

W. BARNETT SMITH, Council Clerk.
Council-chambers, St. Leonards, September 30, 1887.

BOROUGH OF BALMAIN.
TENDERS.

TENDERS are invited up till 4 o'clock p.m., on TUESDAY, 4th October, for the Formation of Part of Louisa-road, and also for the Erection of a Timber Seadstall, at the foot of Mort-street.
Plans and specifications can be seen during office hours at the Engineer's Department, Town Hall.
The Council is not bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

R. R. MACINTOSH, Council Clerk.
Town Hall, 21st September, 1887.

BOROUGH OF WATERLOO.
TO CARTERS.

Wanted, TENDERS for Carting about 450 tons of Wood Blocks from Newtown Station to Council-chambers yard.
CHAS. HARRIS, Council Clerk.
Council-chambers, September 30, 1887.
N.B.—Specification at Town Hall.

BOROUGH OF RANDWICK.

TENDERS are invited for Culvert for drainage purposes.
Plan and specification can be seen on application to the undersigned during office hours, to whom tenders are to be sent, under cover, endorsed "Tender for culvert," before 7 p.m. on Tuesday, the 11th October.

CECIL W. E. BEDFORD, Council Clerk and Engineer.
Town Hall, Randwick, September 30, 1887.

BOROUGH OF EAST ST. LEONARDS.

TENDERS are invited till 7.30 p.m., the 4th OCTOBER, for Forming and Ballasting Bligh-street.
Specifications to be seen daily at Town Hall.

F. A. TEMPLE, Council Clerk.
East St. Leonards, September 29, 1887.

BRASS BAND.—TENDERS are invited by the Loyal Orange Benefit Society of Australasia for the services of a Band upon Boxing Day, stating number and price.
Tenders to be sent to the Grand Secretary, F. FRAZER, 38, Crown-road, Sydney.

BUILDERS.—TENDERS for Brick Cottage (whole or separate; find materials) open till October 4th instant.
Apply F. MOODY, Marrickville-road, near Hobart-street, Marrickville.

BRICKLAYERS.—TENDERS required for Laying 20,000 Bricks. Bigg's Foundry, Liverpool-street West.

ESTATE R. H. DONALDSON, Deceased.

TENDERS will be received until the 15th day of October for the Purchase of the Business lately carried on by Mr. R. H. Donaldson, deceased, at Port Melbourne (Sandridge), with great success for about 20 years as Shipchandler, Provision Merchant, &c.
The stock was recently valued for probate, and consists of the various goods usually held by a shipchandler.
Existing Government contracts will be included in the sale of the business.
Full particulars as to the stock, Government contracts, and terms can be obtained by principals only on application to the Manager of the Perpetual Executors' and Trustees' Association of Australia, Limited, No. 33, Queen-street, Melbourne, to whom tenders should be addressed.
The store can be purchased, or leased with the option of purchase, by the successful tenderer.

FENCING.
TENDERS wanted for Fencing Allotment, labour only or labour and materials.
Motel Villa, Albany-road, South Annandale.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE OF MESSRS. JOSHUA DAVIES and CO., of SYDNEY.
TENDERS are invited for the Purchase of the following STOCK, at 143, KING-STREET, NEWTOWN, viz.:—

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Men's and Boys' Clothing | 331 | 17 | 5 |
| Hats and Caps | 61 | 11 | 5 |
| Shirts | 102 | 6 | 3 |
| Hosiery | 87 | 1 | 8 |
| Collars, Ties, &c. | 11 | 12 | 6 |
| Drapery | 44 | 18 | 5 |
| | £739 | 7 | 11 |

Tenders will be received at the office of Mr. James D. Milne, Bond-street, Sydney, until the 4th October, 1887, and must be accompanied by a deposit of 10 per cent. on the amount of the tender.
The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. NEWTON, GEO. MUNRO, JAS. D. MILNE } Trustees.

IN consequence of the death of Mr. Alexander Inglis, the only surviving partner of the firm,
TENDERS are invited for that WELL-KNOWN and OLD-ESTABLISHED BUSINESS successfully carried on for the last 21 years by Messrs. A. and T. Inglis, at George-street, Dunedin, as a going concern, in one lot.
The Business comprises General Drapery, Clothing and Mercery, Boots and Shoes, Carpets and Furnishings, Furniture, Crockery, Ironmongery, Undertaking, Boot Manufacturing, Cabinet and Furniture Manufacturing.
For particulars as to leases, ground rents, buildings, book-debts, stock, turnover, &c., apply by letter to the Executors of the late Mr. Alexander Inglis, George-street, Dunedin; or on the premises to the Manager.
Tenders must be at the office of the Firm not later than THURSDAY, the 20th day of October, 1887, at 12 noon.
The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
Each tender must have attached a marked cheque for 10 per cent of the amount of the tender.

MUNICIPALITY OF FIVE DOCK.
Fresh TENDERS for Painting and Repair of Town Hall will be received up to 7 p.m. of THURSDAY, the 6th October.
Specification may be seen at the Town Hall, Five Dock.
GEORGE GREVILLE, Council Clerk.
Town Hall, Five Dock, September 27, 1887.

N. S. W. MINING and STOCK EXCHANGE, 72, Pitt-street.—Premises to Let.—TENDERS are invited for the Leasing of the Floors of above Premises for a term of eight years, separately or as a whole. The premises consist of basement, ground, and three upper floors, together with 10 feet at rear, also the fittings contained therein. The fittings to be tendered for separately.
Tenders, accompanied by a deposit of £25, to be addressed to the undersigned before noon on Monday, October 10, 1887.

F. F. COX, Secretary, 72, Pitt-street, Sydney.

RETIRING FROM BUSINESS.
Stafford House, Oxford-street, Paddington.
TENDERS invited for one or more Departments:—
No. 332—Drapery, &c., &c., Department
No. 333—Ironmongery, &c., Department
No. 334—Grocery, &c., Department
No. 336—Provision, &c., Department.
Good going business in each Department.
Leading and best-paying Suburban Business.
All cash trade. Wonderful turnover. Large connection.
Selection of unusually large stock allowed.
Best stand and largest premises in the suburbs.
Garden, stable-room, and every privacy.
Tenders to be forwarded on or before October 8. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
Apply W. H. SURPLICE, 330, 332, 334, 336, Oxford-street.

SAYWELL'S NEW SEA BATHS.
LADY ROBINSON'S BEACH.

TENDERS are invited until WEDNESDAY, 5th October, for a Lease of four years of these new and commodious LADIES' and GENTLEMEN'S BATHS, just completed at Lady Robinson's Beach.
For further particulars apply
T. SAYWELL, 135, York-street.

SOUTH HEAD ROADS TRUST.
TENDERS will be received until SATURDAY, October 8, 1887, for Forming, Ballasting, and Blinding, &c., about 41 chains in length of the Old South Head-road, near the Lighthouse.
For specification and particulars apply to undersigned.
GERARD PHILLIPS, Sec. to Trust, Pitt and Hunter streets, Sydney.

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS are invited for the Erection and Completion of four first-class Stores in Clarence-street.
The works may be tendered for separately, as under, viz.:—
1st. Excavation, Drainage, Masonry, and Brickwork.
2nd. Carpenters', Joiners' work, and all Finishing Trades.
3rd. The whole in one sum.
Plans and specification may be seen at the office of the undersigned to whom tenders are to be delivered on or before Monday, October 10, at 12 o'clock noon.
SHEERIN and HENNESSY, Architects, Clay-chambers, 248, Pitt-street.

ONE POUND Deposit, 2s 6d weekly, for Lots, Strathfield South. Sale Saturday, Oct. 8. Gerrard and Hamilton.

THIS DAY, BUILDING SITES, Fowler's Estate, Camperdown. HARDIE and GORMAN, 133, Pitt-street.

THE AUSTRALIAN GASLIGHT COMPANY.

TENDERS addressed to the Secretary will be received at this Office until noon of MONDAY, the 31st instant, for the undermentioned Supplies and Services required by the Australian Gaslight Company during the year 1888, viz.:—
Coal
Cannel
Ironmongery Goods
Timber
General Cartage
Lighterage
Stationery.
Specifications, conditions, and forms for tender for all but the stationery can be obtained at the Engineer's Office, at Gas Works, Sydney; that for stationery at the Company's Office in Kent-street, Sydney.
The Directors do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

W. JOHNSTON, Secretary.
Company's Office, Sydney, 1st October, 1887.

TO BUILDERS, CONTRACTORS, TIMBER MERCHANTS, and OTHERS.
ST. PHILLIP'S, GLEBE.

TENDERS are invited to Lease for a term of 45 years from 1st January, 1888, the unoccupied land of St. Phillip's, Glebe, having frontages to Wentworth Park-road, and to Denham, Mitchell, Cowper, Wentworth, and Phillip streets.
For further particulars apply to the Metropolitan Mutual Permanent Building and Investment Association, Limited, 65, Market-street, Sydney.

ROBERT W. CONWAY, Manager.

TO BUILDERS, ARCHITECTS, CONTRACTORS, &c.

R. F. RITCHIE, of the Auburn Iron Works, is now prepared to submit TENDERS for Iron Bridges, Roofs, Girders, and Contractors' Ironwork generally.
The manufacture of Iron Bridges and Girders of every description is now a speciality, and the superior appliances at his works enable him to deliver this kind of work to Sydney at prices which do not fail to command trade.

R. F. RITCHIE, Ironworks, Auburn.

TO CONTRACTORS.
TENDERS are invited for Works towards the completion of ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL CHURCH, SYDNEY, plans and specifications for which can be seen between the hours of 10 and 4 o'clock at the offices of the undersigned, to whom sealed and endorsed Tenders are to be delivered at or before noon on WEDNESDAY, 14th of December.
The lowest or any other tender not necessarily accepted.
W. W. WARDELL, C.E., Architect.
Bank of Australasia-chambers, 259, George-street.

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS invited for Erection of First Portion of St. Ignatius' College, Riverview.
Plans and specification may be seen at our offices, where endorsed tenders must be delivered not later than noon on Saturday, 29th instant.
TAPPIN, GILBERT, and DENNEHY, Architects.
Mutual Fire Chambers, 127, King-street.

TENDERS are invited to TUESDAY, 11th October, for the following Works, at Croydon:—
Coachhouse, Stabling, &c.
Stone Dwarf Wall and Iron Railing.
Plans and specifications at the Architects' Offices.
ELLIS and SLATYER, Architects, Scott's-chambers, 96, Pitt-street.

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS are invited for the Erection and Completion of NEW BANKING PREMISES at COONAMBLE for the COMMERCIAL BANKING COMPANY OF SYDNEY.
Plans and specification may be had upon application at the Offices of the Architects, to whom tenders are to be delivered on or before MONDAY, the 24th OCTOBER.
MANSFIELD BROTHERS, Architects, 121, Pitt-street, Sydney.

TENDERS are invited for the Execution of the Carpenters' Work and Finishing Trades for a Brick Shop near Parramatta.
The plans and specification may be seen at the Rydalmere Hotel, Newtown, Parramatta to Ermington.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
Tenders to be addressed to Mr. RANDALL, Ermington, on or before October 5, 1887.

TENDERS will be received until SATURDAY, October 8, for the Erection and Completion of 2 Shops and Dwelling-houses in Devonshire-street, Surry Hills.
Plan and specification can be seen at Redman's Shakespeare Hotel, Devonshire-street, Surry Hills.
Tenders will be received at the above hotel, addressed to Mr. JAMES BATES.

TO CARTERS.
TENDERS required at once for Carting a large quantity of Blue Metal from Botany-road siding to Centennial Park.
EMU GRAVEL and ROAD METAL CO., Limited, Norwich-chambers, Hunter-street.

TO DRAINERS and PLUMBERS.—TENDERS required to connect 12 W.C.'s and Lavatories with sewer at St. Peters' R. C. School, Devonshire and Crown streets, Surry Hills.
Plans, &c., on application to Rev. Father O'BRIEN, Miles-street, at rear of school.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS are invited for the Erection of a Cottage at Ryde. The works may be tendered for separately, as under: Excavation, drainage, masonry, and brickwork. 2. Carpenters', joiners' work, and all finishing trades. 3. The whole in one sum. Plans and specifications may be seen at 194, Glenmore-road, Paddington.

TO BUILDERS and CONTRACTORS.—TENDERS are invited until Saturday, October 15, for Six Houses, Cleveland-street, city, for Messrs. Hallam and Lowe. Plans and specifications to be seen at our office. A. L. and G. M'CREDIE, Architects and Consulting Engineers, 232, Pitt-street.

TENDERS invited for Filling the Yards of terrace of houses, Marrickville. For particulars apply to W. SIMPSON, 31, Bathurst-street.

TENDERS for the Erection of Shop and Dwelling, corner Shepherd-street and Addison-road, Marrickville. Tenders close October 8. Plans, &c., 168, Devonshire-street, Surry Hills.

TENDERS invited for Carpenter's and Joiners' Work, Cottage Residence, labour only.
TATE and CO., Phoenix-chambers, 136, Pitt-street.

TENDERS.—To Oven Builders.—We have on hand Bakers' Oven Fittings, complete, from £6 to £23 per set.
SWINNERTON and FREW, Parramatta-road, Leichhardt.

TENDERS wanted for first-class Job of Painting near Oaks Hotel, North Shore. Apply
J. EBERT, Myrtle-street, St. Leonards.

TENDERS wanted for the Erection of a Shop and Dwelling at St. Peters. Tenders received till Wednesday next. Plans and specifications may be seen at F. Ogden's, Church-street, St. Peters.

TENDERS wanted for the Drainage of Mr. Freeman's Hotel, Bourke-st., Surry Hills. Apply Mr. F. Curle, corner Buckingham and Redfern streets, Redfern, on Tuesday, between 8 and 12 o'clock. Tenders to be in on Friday, 7th October.

TENDERS for W. B. Cottage CLOSE October 7. Contractors who have sent in tenders please call re alterations in specification.
J. J. PATTERSON, Bramble-street, off 460, Elizabeth-street.

TO PAINTERS.—TENDERS are invited for Painting the outside of 14 houses with 4 shops, at Randwick.
T. BUTEMENT, Architect, 199, Pitt-street.

TENDERS wanted for Slating, labour or material. Apply Bartlett, Cooper-street, Surry Hills.

TENDERS wanted, Plastering, labour or material. Apply Bartlett, Cooper-street, Surry Hills.

TENDERS wanted for Sinking a Well. Apply to Goodlet and Smith, Junction Brickworks, Granville.

TENDERS Wood Cubes, large or small quantities, for SALE, cheap. Bowen Wharf, Blackwattle Bay, Pyrmont.

TENDERS wanted for Plastering two houses, labour only. Edgecliff-road, Wallace-st., Woollahra. John Dennis.

TENDERS for outside Venetian Blinds, two houses, W. Fowler, Mountain-street, Summer Hill.

TENDERS required for Painting Warehouse, 70, Barrack-street.

TENDERS required Carting quantity of Stone, Liverpool-street to Paddington. Apply Tuesday, 336, King-st.

TENDERS for Pulling Down Brick-sheds, and stacking in lots ready for sale. W. Egleston, Norfolk-st., Newtown.

TENDERS for 14 Baths, Guttering. Andrew Burns, No. 36, Newland-street, Waverley.

TO CARPENTERS.—Tenders for 2 W.B. Cottages (labour only); open till Monday. W. Stubbs, Sta.-st., Ashfield.

WANTED, TENDERS for the Removal of Sand, Centennial Park.
Apply at the Office, Botanic Gardens.

WANTED, TENDERS, Plastering and Plumbing, labour only or otherwise. 5, Salisbury Estate, Botany-rd.

TENDERERS.—I have 250,000 Bricks for SALE; will deliver from Summer Hill to Homebush very cheap.
H. SIMPSON, Burwood.

TENDERS.—To Plasterers and Painters,—Ochres, Venetian Reds, Blue Blacks, for 1s 6d per cwt.; genuine Red and White Lead, from 21s 6d cwt., and 8d a tin; Dry Colours, of every description cheap; Mixed Paints, 3 p. for 1s; Brushes, 4's, from 4s 6d; Plasterers' Brushes, very cheap; Raw Oil, 3s per gallon; Boiled, 3s 2d per gallon; Wallpaper, from 2d per roll; Glass, cut to sizes, very cheap. At Regent House Oil and Colour Co., 269, George-street, near Murphy's, close to Harris-street.

WE are prepared to give tenders for Wrought and Cast Ironwork and Copper-work for New Lands Office.
SOUTER and MARTIN, Ironfounders, Blacksmiths, and Girder Makers, Jones-street and M'Arthur street, Ultimo.

NEWELLS, Balusters, Finials, Table Legs. Ellis, 16, George-street West, 3 doors from railway station.

CLEAN KIAMA BLUE METAL, all gauges, and Screenings. Symnott, 15, Hoad-street.

KIAMA (Bombo) BLUE METAL (all gauges) and Screenings, clean. 31, Cowper Wharf, Woolloomooloo.

CORRECT Quantities for new Lands Office, Sydney, from Ernest A. Bonney, 22, Castlereagh-street.

TO BUILDERS AND OTHERS.
On SALE, Yellow GRAVEL, suitable for builders, footpaths, garden walks; 6d per load.
Chromatic Paint Co., Station-street, Newtown.

TO PRINTERS.—MATERIAL for SALE, cheap. Brokine Bros., Botany.

GAS STOVES.—Raleigh's Paragon, £1 deposit, £1 monthly. Cooking on Tuesday, 11 till 1. 253, Elizabeth-st.

ELECTRIC BELTS, world-famed Pulvermacher's. Frost and Shipham, 474 and 387, George-st., sole agents.

FOWLER'S ESTATE, Camperdown, THIS DAY, October 1, on the Ground, at 3 o'clock; Torrens' title; 10 per cent. deposit, balance 5 years at 6 per cent. Plans ready.
HARDIE and GORMAN.

## Municipal Council Notices.

BOROUGH OF REDFERN.

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDING AUGUST 3, 1887.

REVENUE.

| DR. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
|---|---|---|---|
| To Rates, Surry Hills Ward, general | 804 13 3 | | |
| Rates, Surry Hills Ward, lighting | 216 3 1 | £1050 16 4 | |
| Rates Belmore Ward, general | 1356 1 0 | | |
| Rates, Belmore Ward, lighting | 339 0 1 | 1695 1 1 | |
| Rates Redfern Ward, general | 691 15 4½ | | |
| Rates Redfern Ward, lighting | 172 18 9½ | 864 14 2 | |
| Rates, Golden Grove Ward, general | 1105 2 2½ | | |
| Rates, Golden Grove Ward, lighting | 276 5 4½ | 1381 7 7 | £5031 19 4 |
| Rates, Redfern Ward, street watering | | 124 2 7 | |
| Rates, Belmore Ward, street watering | | 45 13 11 | |
| Rates, Surry Hills, street watering | | 40 7 3 | |
| Rates, Golden Grove Ward, street watering | | 34 0 5 | 244 18 2 |
| Fees and fines account, Golden Grove Ward | | 22 7 6 | |
| Fees and fines account, Surry Hills Ward | | 20 3 6 | |
| Fees and fines account, Redfern Ward | | 17 3 0 | |
| Fees and fines account, Belmore Ward | | 17 8 0 | 77 4 6 |
| Contributions towards repairs, viz.:— | | | |
| Surry Hills Ward, Hillston-street | 18 10 6 | | |
| Surry Hills Ward, Cleveland-street | 10 13 8 | | |
| Surry Hills Ward, Telopea-street | 0 15 0 | | |
| Surry Hills Ward, Thurlow-lane | 14 12 0 | 133 18 8 | |
| Belmore Ward, Castlereagh-lane | 12 0 0 | | |
| Belmore Ward, Cleveland-street | 93 15 8 | 111 13 8 | |
| Redfern Ward, Cleveland-street | | 99 15 8 | |
| Golden Grove Ward, Codrington-street | 1 5 0 | | |
| Golden Grove Ward, Edward-lane | 1 0 0 | | |
| Golden Grove Ward, Cleveland-street | 97 15 8 | 100 0 8 | 451 8 8 |
| Baptist Cooper sewer account, contributions | | 1502 16 8 | |
| Cesspit account, amount received for emptying pits | | 921 14 9 | |
| Tarpaving account, contributions, one-third of cost | | 190 5 4 | |
| Temporary labour account, per Casual Labour Board | | 113 3 1 | |
| Hire of hall account | | 78 8 6 | |
| Kerbing and guttering contributions, one-third of cost | | 42 16 0 | |
| Kerbstone account | | 22 0 0 | |
| Public park account, six months' rent for grazing | | 25 0 0 | |
| Library account, subscriptions and deposits | | 4 17 6 | |
| Petty account for sundries | | 0 19 0 | 2904 13 10 |
| Balance, being debit balance at bank, August 3, 1887 | | | 4950 5 3 |
| | | | £13,340 1 3 |

EXPENDITURE.

| CR. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
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| By Debit balance at bank, 1st February, 1887 | | | £294 17 10 |
| Surry Hills Ward: | | | |
| Day labour, kerbing and guttering, and ballasting | £861 17 4 | | |
| Blue metal, cartage, &c. | 815 12 0 | | |
| A. Gaslight Co., lights for streets | 253 3 4 | | |
| Drain pipes and bricks | 23 9 10 | | |
| Street-watering, day labour | 65 11 2 | | |
| Bluestone and crossings | 8 5 6 | | |
| Proportion of general expenses | 77 13 9 | | |
| Metal asphalt, tarred ashes, and labour | 208 2 3 | | |
| Posts and surveys | 8 8 0 | | |
| Making gully shafts | 89 17 1 | | |
| Fees and fines | 10 16 6 | £2,519 4 8 | |
| Belmore Ward: | | | |
| Day labour, kerbing and guttering, and ballasting | 550 17 6 | | |
| Blue metal, cartage, &c. | 475 14 8 | | |
| A. Gas Light Co., lights for streets | 139 10 4 | | |
| Drain pipes and bricks | 31 0 7 | | |
| Bluestone and crossings | 10 5 8 | | |
| Street-watering, day labour | 65 10 10 | | |
| Proportion of general expenses | 77 3 9 | | |
| Metal asphalt, tarred ashes, and labour | 547 19 4 | | |
| Frames and gratings | 18 12 3 | | |
| Fees and fines | 9 0 0 | 1,936 19 8 | |
| Redfern Ward: | | | |
| Day labour, kerbing, guttering, and ballasting | 205 11 10 | | |
| Blue metal, cartage, &c. | 1416 1 0 | | |
| Australian Gas Light Company, lights for streets | 172 9 8 | | |
| Blue Stone and crossing | 63 5 4 | | |
| Street watering, day labour | 61 12 3 | | |
| Proportion of general expenses | 77 1 2 | | |
| Metal asphalt, tarred ashes, and labour | 144 6 6 | | |
| Fees and fines | 9 0 0 | 2223 8 8 | |
| Golden Grove Ward: | | | |
| Day labour, kerbing, and guttering, and ballasting | 1772 11 6 | | |
| Blue metal, cartage, &c. | 617 13 3 | | |
| Australian Gas Light Company, lights for streets | 247 3 10 | | |
| Bluestone and crossings | 7 7 6 | | |
| Street watering, day labour | 47 10 2 | | |
| Proportion of general expenses | 77 13 9 | | |
| Metal asphalt, tarred ashes, and labour | 25 15 7 | | |
| Fees and fines | 11 16 0 | 3039 5 0 | 9001 18 7 |
| Baptist Cooper sewer account, amount paid Government | | 1,317 12 5 | |
| Cesspit account, amount paid to contractor | | 963 13 2 | |
| Street-cleaning and house refuse account, contractor | | 609 17 3 | |
| Salaries account | | 895 8 0 | |
| Interest account on loan | 300 0 0 | | |
| Interest account on overdraft | 77 13 4 | 377 13 4 | |
| Temporary Labour account for payment of labourers temporarily employed | | 345 0 0 | |
| Redfern Park account, labour improving Park | | 181 15 3 | |
| Fire Brigades Board subscriptions | | 87 5 4 | |
| Tools and repairs account | | 41 0 1 | 4,033 3 10 |
| | | | £13,340 1 3 |

I hereby certify the above account to be correct, and to correspond with the books of accounts and vouchers, or other documents in the possession or power of the Municipal Council of Redfern.

EDWIN BERRY, Mayor.

We certify that all the books of accounts and vouchers or other documents in support thereof in the possession or power of the Municipal Council of Redfern have been exhibited to us, and that the foregoing statement corresponds with such books of accounts or other documents, and that the above is correct.

JOHN MITCHELL, JOHN MOLONEY | Auditors.
R. W. GRIERSON, Council Clerk.
Redfern Municipal Chambers, September 13, 1887.

BOROUGH OF MARRICKVILLE.
Legal proceedings will be taken for the recovery of all unpaid rates, unless paid at once.
GEORGE E. GILL, Council Clerk.
Town Hall, Marrickville, September 24, 1887.

BOROUGH OF EAST ST. LEONARDS.
OUTSTANDING RATES will be sued for in alphabetical order. A to C will be taken at local Police Court first week in OCTOBER.
F. A. TEMPLE, Council Clerk.
Town Hall, East St. Leonards, 23rd September, 1887.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF LIVERPOOL.
IMPORTANT NOTICE TO RATEPAYERS.
In consequence of this Council having only received one-half of the RATES due for 1886-7, thereby losing a large amount of endowment, it has been ordered that immediate proceedings be taken (without further notice) for the RECOVERY OF OVERDUE RATES.
By order of the Mayor.
C. BROWN, Council Clerk.
Council-chambers, Liverpool, 19th September, 1887.

BOROUGH OF MACDONALDTOWN.
NOTICE TO RATEPAYERS.
SUMMONSES are about to be issued (indiscriminately) for the recovery of all outstanding Rates and all moneys due under the Nuisances Prevention Act.
By order of the Mayor,
WILLIAM F. BRAY, Council Clerk.
Council-chambers, Macdonaldtown, September 29, 1887.

## Produce, Provisions, &c.

M. HOYLSON and SONS, Millers, Grain and Produce Merchants, have on SALE their own make Superfine Household and Seconds FLOUR; also various leading brands of patent roller-made flour, saved pollard quarters, Sharps, Pollard, Bran, Maize whole and cracked, Seed Oats, Feed Oats, Cape Barley, Chicken Wheat, Oaten Chaff, Cow Meal fresh-ground every day.
Head Office and Central Stores—276, Sussex-street.

VINEGAR in bulk and bottle. MONK'S Vinegar Works, 295, Sussex-street.

EVERYBODY should use FEMELL'S FLOUR. It is made from the best wheat, in a mill replete with the latest improved NEW PROCESS MACHINERY. The price is very low, and the quality is guaranteed extra good.

BEST brands Separator and ordinary Keg BUTTER, choice N. R. HAMS and Roll BACON, all kinds Farm and Dairy PRODUCE. H. PRESCOTT and CO., 161, Sussex-street.

J. AND J. WEARNE, Flour Mill, Goulburn-street, Sydney. Flour (roller, superfine), Wheatmeal (especially prepared for bakers), Sharps, Pollard, Bran, Corndour, Cornmeal, Chick Food, Mill Dust, Pig Feed, and all mill produce.

BREAD. BREAD. BREAD.
Times Bakery. (Oldest established in Sydney).
A superior quality (only) supplied daily.
JOHN C. BRIERLEY (late of John Hardie, George-street).
Orders left at any of the branches attended to next day.
91, Oxford-street; 17, Hunter-street; 148, William-street.

JAMS.
THE UNION PRESERVING COMPANY, HOBART, TASMANIA, are the best and finest.
Made only from picked Fruit, grown by the proprietors at Glenorchy.
To be had from all Grocers.
ASK FOR AND BE SURE YOU GET THEM.

TO GROCERS.—Bonrath's Genuine OATMEAL, in 7½ bags, can be had from their Sole Agents,
JOHN KAMER and CO., 332, Kent-street, Sydney.

TIMBER.—Unreserved SALE This Afternoon, at 2.30, at Hudson's, Kogarah. Garrard and Hamilton sell.

## Businesses for Sale.

AUGUSTUS D. TAYLOR, Auctioneer, Live Stock and Property Salesman, House, Land, Estate, and General Commission Agent, 21, BEDFORD-STREET, NEWTOWN, has FOR SALE:—
PASTRYCOOK and CONFECTIONERS—Best stand in Newtown, close to tram terminus and railway station; proprietor leaving the colony; lease, 3 years to run, can be extended; must be sold.
HOTEL—Balmain, £600, long lease, needs no comment; a good chance for a business man.
N.B.—The above require no puffing.

HOTEL, city, lease 7 years, proof trade, free house, £700. Gray and Harrison, Park and Castlereagh streets.

SMALL Grocery and Refreshment SHOP, 5 rooms, Oxford-street, £35; Drapery, &c. Gray and Harrison.

BOARDING-HOUSE, overlooking Domain, 8 boarders, well furnished; rent 35s; £85. Barber and Co., 295, Pitt-st.

FERNBANK, Marrickville.—Auction Sale, Saturday, 22nd October; best position, easy terms, assistance to build.

THIS DAY, BUILDING SITES, Fowler's Estate, Camperdown. HARDIE and GORMAN, 133, Pitt-street.

## Business Announcements.

NOTICE is hereby given that the PARTNERSHIP which has for some time been carried on by FREDERICK WILLIAM HUDSON and ARTHUR SLATYER, under the firm of HUDSON and SLATYER, in the trade or business of Drapers, Grocers, Ironmongers, General Dealers, Timber Merchants, and Storekeepers, at Eastwood, has this day been DISSOLVED by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Frederick William Hudson, who will continue the business in his own name. As witness our hands this twenty-fifth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.
ARTHUR SLATYER.
F. W. HUDSON.
Witness of signature—Slatyer—Granville L. Wi...
Witness of signature Frederick William Hudson—A. B. Tracy.

NOTICE.
The PARTNERSHIP previously existing between the undersigned, under the style firm of S. HOFFNUNG and CO., as Merchants and Importers expired by the effluxion of time on the 30th of June, 1887, so far as DAVID MARKS was concerned, who on that date retired from the said firm. The business will be continued under the style of S. Hoffnung and Co., as heretofore.
HENRY NATHAN.
S. HOFFNUNG.
S. SINAUER.
DAVID MARKS.
By their Attorney—B. F. Marks.
Witness—George H. ...
Sydney, October 1, 1887.

PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.
B. F. MARKS, L. H. HIAM, BERNHARD SINAUER, and A. HOFFNUNG were admitted as PARTNERS in our business on the 1st of January, 1887.
S. HOFFNUNG and CO.
Sydney, October 1, 1887.

NOTICE.—The Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, WILLIAM THOMAS FARRELL and CHARLES MITCHELL FARRELL, in the business of Grocers, carried on by us under the style and firm of W. T. FARRELL and SON, at Market-street, in the city of Sydney, was this day DISSOLVED, the said William Thomas Farrell having retired from the firm in favour of the said Charles Mitchell Farrell, who will henceforth carry on the business on his own account, and receive the debts due by, and receive all moneys payable to the firm. Dated the 30th of September, 1887.
WILLIAM THOS. FARRELL.
CHARLES MITCHELL FARRELL.
Referring to the above I take this opportunity to return Thanks to the numerous customers who have for the past 33 years so liberally accorded their patronage, and respectfully request a continuance of the same by my successor.
WILLIAM THOS. FARRELL.

DISSOLUTION of PARTNERSHIP.—The Partnership hitherto existing between CHARLES PHIPPS HUMPHRIS and DAVID WILLIAM SOLOMONS, trading as C. P. Humphris and Co., Grain and Produce Merchants, Live Stock Salesmen, and Commission Agents, Sussex-street, Sydney, has been THIS DAY DISSOLVED by mutual consent. Mr. Solomons retires from the firm, and the business will in future be carried on by Mr. Humphris under the same name as heretofore, who will pay all accounts owing by, and receive all moneys due to, the late firm. Dated at Sydney the 1st Oct., 1887.

DR. W. R. CUTISTLER has commenced Practice at 231, Macquarie-street. Telephone 787.

THOS. A. STRICKLAND, ... Campbell-street.

SCOTTISH WIDOWS' FUND SOCIETY.
The Society's Branch Office for colonial investments has been REMOVED to No. 7, Bent-street, Sydney.
The Directors are prepared to receive application for Advances upon Freehold Security.
Forms of proposal and conditions under which advances are made will be forwarded on application to the undersigned.
JOSEPH MILLS, at No. 7, Bent-street.
29th August, 1887.

REMOVAL.—J. FINAY, Watchmaker, late 109, Oxford-st., to 24, Crown-st., 2 doors from City Bank.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.—The undersigned have REMOVED their Offices to No. 122, Pitt-street, over the Commercial Bank of Australia, opposite to Messrs. Hoffnung's buildings. N.B.—ENTRANCE AT THE SIDE, IN ROWE-STREET.
LEVY and HEMSLEY.
21st September, 1887.

E. SOLOMON, Auctioneer, Brisbane, Queensland, will be in Sydney until WEDNESDAY NEXT, and is desirous of arranging for Regular Consignments of Merchandise, Produce, &c., for Sale by Auction in Brisbane. Good connection. Prompt account sales. Communications to
E. SOLOMON, 247, George-street, Sydney.

I HAVE this day admitted Mr. CHARLES LETHBRIDGE COWPER as a Partner in my business, which will be continued as heretofore under the style of Alfred Lamb and Co.
ALFRED LAMB, 6, Young-street.
Sydney, 1st October, 1887.

D. LACERDA, Sen., Removed to next door Victoria Hotel, Cleveland and Abercrombie streets, Redfern.

GAS STOVES.—Raleigh's Paragon, £1 deposit, £1 monthly. Cooking on Tuesday, 11 till 1. 253, Elizabeth-st.

ICE CREAM, Ice Cream, Ice Cream. Brierley's Refreshment Rooms, 17, Hunter-street.

## Horticultural, Farming, &c.

RYDE BONE MILL.—BONES bought in any quantity. Highest price given. Guaranteed pure dust always on hand.
JOHN FORSYTH.

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## Government Notices.

NOTICE UNDER REAL PROPERTY ACT.—APPLICATIONS having been made to bring the lands hereunder described under the provisions of the Real Property Act, Certificates of Indefeasible Title will issue, unless Caveats be lodged in Form B of the said Act on or before the date named opposite each case respectively.

| Property. | Name of Applicant. | Residence. | Date up to and inclusive of which Caveats may be lodged. |
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| No. 6,980. St. Leonards, 171 perches, having a frontage to Walker-street, adjoining the premises of Mr. C. Dr. Ward. | William Waterhouse | St. Leonards | 1887. November 8 |
| No. 6,981. Waterloo, 2 roods 8 perches, lots Nos. 3, 4, Pile and Maxwell's subdivision,—is part of 11 acres J. R. Hatfield. | Charles Hudson | Alexandria | November 8 |
| No. 7,000. Parish of St. George, 12 acres 1 rood 17 perches, Old Punch Bowl-road, Canterbury,—comprises the 30 acres to James Lane. | John Wesley Watkin | Sydney | November 8 |
| No. 7,058. County of Durham, 300 acres, on the Hunter, parish of Darlington,—is part of 800 acres granted to Mr. Trenor. | George Freeman, jun. | Singleton | December 8 |
| No. 7,055. South Deniliquin, 20 perches, in George-street, the north-western moiety of allotment No. 1 of section 12. | Bridget Marshall and Sophia Jane Marshall | Deniliquin | December 8 |
| No. 7,062. Waverley, 1 acre 2 roods 33 perches, in Anglesea-street,—comprises lots Nos. 33 to 34 inclusive, 43 to 48 inclusive of the Anglesea Estate. | Thomas James Dickson | Sydney | December 8 |
| No. 6,576. Parish of Liberty Plains, 314 acres 3 roods 10 perches,—comprises the land granted as 307 acres to James Wilshire. | John Bennett | Sydney | December 8 |
| No. 6,965. Balmain, 11 perches, at the intersection of Darling and Johnston streets, adjoining the premises of Mr. Claude. | Archibald Blair | William Balmain | December 8 |

Diagrams delineating these lands may be inspected at the Registrar-General's Office, in Elizabeth-street, Sydney.
Dated this 20th day of September, 1887, at the Registrar-General's Office, Sydney.

E. G. WARD, Registrar-General.

SPECIAL NOTICE UNDER REAL PROPERTY ACT.—APPLICATIONS having been made, under section 79 of the Real Property Act, by the undermentioned, to be registered as "Proprietors by Transmission" of the lands hereunder described, such applications will be complied with, and Certificates of Title issued in accordance therewith, unless Caveats be lodged on or before the date named opposite each case respectively.

| Property. | Name and Residence of Applicant. | Title, how claimed. | Date up to and inclusive of which Caveats may be lodged. |
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| NINETEENTH. 132 perches, lot No. 14 of section No. 60 deposited plan No. 234, at Elswick, parish of Petersham and county of Cumberland, 2 roods 23½ perches, lots Nos. 1 to 3 and 40 to 44 of section No. 2 of deposited plan No. 1 in the parish of Rooty Hill and same county; also 3 roods perches, lots Nos. 19 to 21 of section No. 5 on deposited plan No. 831, in the parish of Liberty Plains and same county. | William Golding, of Rooty Hill. | Devisee under the will of Elizabeth Alma Lamrock, who died 15th November, 1886 | 1887. November 3. |
| NINETEENTH. 40 acres, portion No. 7, 60 acres portion No. 8, and 200 acres, portion No. 9, situate in the parish of Cudal and county of Wellington. | Margaret Carty, of Orange. | Administratrix of the intestate estate of James Carty, who died 4th June, 1884 | November 3. |
| NINETEENTH. The entirety of land comprised in certificates of title, vol. 744, folio 40; an undivided moiety of land comprised in 3 certificates of title, vol. 748, folio 44, vol. 752, folio 8, and vol. 806, folio 14; an undivided one-third share of land comprised in 3 certificates of title, vol. 206, folio 22, vol. 275, folio 43, and vol. 784, folio 183 and 183; an entire undivided moiety of the land comprised in certificate of title, vol. 183, folio 15; and an undivided one-sixth share in the untransferred residue of land comprised in certificate of title, vol. 494, folio 31. | Tom Bakewell, of St. Albans, near Sooma. | Trustee and executor under the will of John Bakewell, who died 17th March, 1881 | November 3. |
| NINETEENTH. 3 perches, part of lot No. 18 on deposited plan No. 534, situate at Pyrmont, in the parish of Petersham and county of Cumberland. | William Llewellin, of Pyrmont. | Executor under the will of Thomas Llewellin, who died 22nd October, 1886 | November 3. |
| NINETEENTH. 23 perches, part of lots Nos. 1 and 2 of section 2 on deposited plan No. 143, situate at Waverley, in the parish of Alexandria, and county of Cumberland. | George Thomas Hankins, of Sydney. | Executor and trustee under the will of James Fullerton, who died 3rd July, 1876, trustee under the will of George Fullerton, who died 24th September, 1881. | November 3. |
| NINETEENTH. 40 acres, portion No. 3-5th in the parish of ..., and county of Camden. | Frances Mackenzie, of Sydney. | Devisee under the will of Walter Fawkes Mackenzie, who died 14th October, 1886 | November 3. |
| NINETEENTH. The untransferred residue of and the land comprised in 30 acres 3 roods 3 perches, part of portion No. 68, and in 4 acres 3 roods 36 perches, part of portion No. 57, in the parish of Lidsdale, and county of Cook. | Frances Mackenzie, of Sydney. | Devisee under the will of Walter Fawkes Mackenzie, who died 14th October, 1886. | November 3. |

Diagrams delineating these lands may be inspected at the Registrar-General's Office, in Elizabeth-street, Sydney.
Dated this 19th day of September, 1887, at the Registrar-General's Office, Sydney.

E. G. WARD, Registrar-General.

REAL PROPERTY ACT.

NOTICE OF INTENDED ISSUE OF PROVISIONAL CERTIFICATE OF TITLE, VOL. 284, FOLIO 10.

Proprietor: ALEXANDER GEDDES. Land: 16 perches, lot 11 on deposited plan 278, situate at Botany, in the parish of Botany and county of Cumberland.

THE proof of loss of the abovementioned original and other particulars required by section 58 of the abovementioned Act (30th Vic. No. 9), before issue of Provisional Certificate of Title, having been supplied,—I hereby, with the consent of the Land Titles Commissioners, and in further pursuance of the requirements of the said section, notify my intention to issue such Provisional Certificate of Title accordingly, at the expiration of fourteen days from the date hereof.

E. G. WARD, Registrar-General.

Sydney, 23th September, 1887.

REAL PROPERTY ACT.

NOTICE OF INTENDED ISSUE OF PROVISIONAL CROWN GRANTS, VOL. 577, FOLIO 231, and VOL. 270, FOLIO 82.

Proprietor: GEORGE SANBY MINNS. Land: 1 rood 19 perches, lots ... and 2 roods, lot 1 ... situate at Lismo, parish of North Casino and county of Rous.

THE proof of loss of the abovementioned originals and other particulars required by section 58 of the abovementioned Act (20th Vic. No. 9), before issue of Provisional Crown Grants, having been supplied,—I hereby, with the consent of the Land Titles Commissioners, and in further pursuance of the requirements of the said section, notify my intention to issue such Provisional Crown Grants accordingly, at the expiration of fourteen days from the date hereof.

E. G. WARD, Registrar-General.

Sydney, 28th September, 1887.

REAL PROPERTY ACT.

NOTICE OF INTENDED ISSUE OF PROVISIONAL CERTIFICATE OF TITLE, Vol. 442, folio 165.

Proprietor: WILLIAM TEAGUE. Land: acres, 1 roods, 10 perches, part of suburban lot 1 of ..., situate in the parish of Yarrabandinie and county of Bligh.

THE proof of loss of the abovementioned original and other particulars required by section 58 of the abovementioned Act (20th Vic., No. 9), before issue of Provisional Certificate of Title, having been supplied,—I hereby, with the consent of the Land Titles Commissioners, and in further pursuance of the requirements of the said section, notify my intention to issue such Provisional Certificate of Title accordingly, at the expiration of fourteen days from the date hereof.

E. G. WARD, Registrar-General.

Sydney, 28th September, 1887.

Department of Railways, Sydney, 28th September, 1887.

CANTERBURY RACES.

SATURDAY, 1st OCTOBER.

MONDAY, 3rd OCTOBER, 1887.

On SATURDAY Special Trains will leave Sydney for Ashfield at 12.25 and 12.45 p.m., returning from Ashfield as required.

On MONDAY, 3rd October, Special Trains will leave Sydney at 10.45, 11.25, and 11.55 a.m., and 12.15 p.m., returning from Ashfield as required.

The 1 p.m. Western and 2.17 p.m. Return Trains from Sydney will call at Ashfield to pick up passengers on both of the above dates if required.

CHAS. A. GOODCHAP, Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Railways, Sydney, 27th September, 1887.

OVERLAND JOURNEY BETWEEN SYDNEY and NEWCASTLE, via PEAT'S FERRY and GOSFORD.

On all week days a Passenger Train leaves Sydney at 6.15 a.m. (on Sundays at 5.50 a.m.) for Peat's Ferry, where it is met by the steamer, which arrives at Gosford in time to catch the train leaving there at 1.30 p.m., and arriving at Newcastle at 3.15 p.m.

Trains leave Newcastle daily (Sundays excepted) at 8.45 a.m. for Gosford, where it is met by the steamer which runs in connection with the train leaving Peat's Ferry at 3.45 p.m., arriving in Sydney at 5.12 p.m.

On SUNDAYS a steamer will run ... a.m. train from Sydney at Peat's Ferry, and convey passengers to Gosford, from whence a train will leave for Newcastle at 4.50 p.m., and arrive there at 7.5 p.m.

On the up journey a train will leave Newcastle at 9.35 a.m., and arrive at Gosford at 12.5 p.m., and passengers will reach Sydney at 7.21 p.m.

Under this arrangement passengers from Sydney will be able to leave Newcastle by the above trains on Sunday, and reach Sydney again in time for business on Monday morning.

Passengers from Maitland, Newcastle, and intermediate stations to Sydney will be similarly situated.

On SUNDAYS ONLY the following Special rates (which do not include steamer fare between Peat's Ferry and Gosford) will be charged:—

Return available until Monday evening, first class, 16s 3d; second class, 12s 3d.

Single, first class, 10s 3d; second class, 8s.

CHAS. A. GOODCHAP, Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Railways, Sydney, 29th September, 1887.

KOGARAH TO SANS SOUCI AND SANDRINGHAM TRAMWAY.

Trams leave Kogarah daily (Sundays excepted) for Sans Souci and Sandringham immediately after the arrival of the trains leaving Sydney for Kogarah at ... 10.25 a.m., and 1.5, 3.5, and 5.25 p.m.

On the return journeys the trams leaving Sans Souci at 7.47, 9.44, 11.34 a.m., 1.33, 3.30, 5.25, and 6.10 p.m. reach Kogarah in time for the trains leaving for Sydney at 8.15, 10.15, 12.10 noon, 2, 4.13, 5.37, and 6.39 p.m.

On Sundays the trams leave Kogarah after the 8.50 a.m., 1.5, and 4.25 p.m. trains from Sydney, and on the return journey the trams leaving Sans Souci at 9.37 a.m., 1.50, 3.27, and 5.15 p.m., arrive in time for the 10.5 a.m., 2.11, 3.48, and 5.38 p.m. trains for Sydney.

CHAS. A. GOODCHAP, Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Railways, Sydney, 30th September, 1887.

SEAWATER BATHS.—LADY ROBINSON'S BEACH.

For the convenience of bathers a Special Train will leave Sydney on SUNDAY Next, the 2nd October, and on every succeeding Sunday until further notice for Rockdale at 6.45 a.m., returning from Rockdale at ... calling at all intermediate stations where required.

FARES from SYDNEY, including Tram and Bath, are as follows:—

First Class, 1s 9d; Second Class, 1s.

CHAS. A. GOODCHAP, Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Railways, Sydney, 28th September, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after the 2nd October all Trains running to and from Cowra will run to the NEW STATION. Down Trains will arrive at the new station five minutes later and the Up Trains leave five minutes earlier than the times shown on the time-table for the old station.

CHAS. A. GOODCHAP, Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Railways, Sydney, 21st September, 1887.

EIGHT-HOUR DEMONSTRATION.

MONDAY, 3rd October, 1887.

On the SUBURBAN LINE EXTRA TRAINS will be run as required.

ILLAWARRA LINE.

SPECIAL TRAINS will leave Sydney for Hurstville at 8.15 and 9.30 a.m. and 12.5, 1.25, 3.40, and 4.40 p.m., returning from Hurstville at 9.30, 10.50, and 11.30 a.m. and 1.30, 2.45, 4.35, and 6.20 p.m.

SPECIAL TRAINS will also leave Sydney at 11.5 a.m. and 2.25 p.m. for National Park; returning from there at 12.25 and 4.35 p.m.

These trains will call at all intermediate stations.

SANS SOUCI and SANDRINGHAM TRAMWAY.

The Ordinary Tram Time-table will be CANCELLED, and SPECIAL TRAMS will leave Kogarah at 7.55, 8.50, 9.55, 10.50, and 11.5 a.m., 12 noon, and 12.45, 1.25, 2.35, 3.30, 4.10, 5.5, 5.55, and 6.40 p.m.; returning from Sans Souci and Sandringham 15 minutes later than the times mentioned above.

HOMEBUSH-WARATAH LINE.

SPECIAL TRAIN.

SYDNEY TO HAWKESBURY RIVER AND BACK.

Sydney, dep. 7 a.m. — Hawkesbury River, dep. 6 p.m.
Hawkesbury River, arr. 10 a.m. — Sydney, arr. 8.5 p.m.

This train will call at all intermediate stations, where required.

WESTERN LINE.

SPECIAL TRAIN.

SYDNEY TO BOWENFELS AND BACK.

Sydney, dep. 7 a.m. — Bowenfels, dep. 1.30 p.m.
Bowenfels, arr. 1 p.m. — Sydney, arr. 8.45 p.m.

This train will call at all intermediate stations and platforms west of Parramatta where required, and cheap return tickets, available for day of issue only, will be issued at 1d. a-mile 1st class, and ½d. a-mile 2nd class; minimum fare 1s and 6d, respectively.

CHARLES A. GOODCHAP, Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Railways, Sydney, September 23, 1887.

NORTH SHORE CABLE TRAMWAY.

On and after MONDAY, the 3rd October, the Fares by tickets on this line will be REDUCED to 2d.

From Milson's Point to the Post-office, and vice versa, the fare will be 2d. from the Post-office to the Reserve, and vice versa, 1d.

The cash fares will be 3d and 2d respectively.

It will be the duty of the conductors to receive tickets as usual, and after leaving them in safes, to return one half of each ticket so received to the passenger.

CHAS. A. GOODCHAP, Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Railways, Sydney, 30th September, 1887.

CLOSING OF THE GOODS WAREHOUSES at REDFERN and DARLING HARBOUR, and of the CENTRAL BOOKING-OFFICE, George-street, on MONDAY, 3rd October, 1887.

MONDAY, 3rd October, being a PUBLIC HOLIDAY, the Goods Warehouses at Redfern and Darling Harbour will not be open for the receipt and delivery of goods; but the usual arrangements will be made for delivering perishables at Darling Harbour up to 10 a.m.

The Central Booking-office, George-street, will be open for the despatch of business between the hours of 8 and 10 a.m. only.

CHAS. A. GOODCHAP, Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Railways, Sydney, September 24, 1887.

TENDERS will be received at this office until 11 o'clock on TUESDAY, the 11th OCTOBER, from persons willing to PURCHASE a piece of Land, fronting Steam and Elgin streets, at West Maitland.

Plans can be seen, and all particulars obtained at the office of the Commissioner for Railways, 42, Phillip-street, Sydney, the Traffic Manager's Office, Newcastle, and Railway Stationmaster's Office, West Maitland.

Tenders are to be endorsed, "Tender for purchase of land at West Maitland."

The Commissioner does not bind himself to accept the highest or any tender.

CHAS. A. GOODCHAP, Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Railways, Sydney, 29th September, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after the 2nd October all Trains running to and from Cowra will run to the NEW STATION. Down Trains will arrive at the new station five minutes later and the Up Trains leave five minutes earlier than the times shown on the time-table for the old station. The new station is 2¼ miles nearer the town than the old one.

CHAS. A. GOODCHAP, Commissioner for Railways.

Public Works Department, Roads Branch.

TENDERS are invited up to noon, on the 14th OCTOBER, Forming, Metalling, and Blinding on road, Rookwood to Rookwood, and Bankstown, via Auburn Park, in Rookwood-road; and Potts to Burragorang Mountains.

Specifications at Courthouse, Picton, and at Courthouse, Parramatta, where tenders are to be delivered to Clerk of Petty Sessions, Parramatta.

Post and Telegraph Department, Brisbane, 30th August, 1887.

WEATHER CHART OF AUSTRALASIA.

A Copy of the New Enlarged Chart, showing changes of weather in progress, published by the Post and Telegraph Department of Queensland, daily (except Sundays and holidays), will be posted to any address in the Colonies for a subscription of £2 2s per annum in advance.

Apply to Clement L. Wragge, Government Meteorologist, Brisbane.

W. HORATIO WILSON, Postmaster-General.

TO TELEGRAPH CONTRACTORS AND OTHERS.

TENDERS will be received at the Public Works Offices, Perth, Western Australia, up to noon on Wednesday, November 30, 1887, from persons willing to construct a Line of Telegraph from Derby to the Kimberley Goldfields, a distance of 260 miles or thereabouts, and a similar line from Wyndham (Cambridge Gulf) to the same place on the goldfields, a distance of 200 miles or thereabouts.

The construction will consist of a copper wire, No. 14, carried on iron posts, contractor's party, and the whole of the materials, wire insulators, and posts will be supplied by the Government at Derby and Wyndham respectively.

Specifications, conditions of contract, and forms of tender may be obtained on application and on payment of three guineas at the Public Works Offices, Perth; at the Offices of the Commissioners of Works, Melbourne, Sydney, and Adelaide; and from the Government Residents at Derby and Wyndham.

Tenders to state price per mile, and to be made out for each line separately.

Each tender must be accompanied by a bank deposit receipt for £1000, payable to the Hon. the Director of Public Works, Perth, W.A.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

J. ARTHUR WRIGHT, Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department, Perth, W.A., August 30, 1887.

Department of Public Works, Sydney, 30th September, 1887.

TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND SUPPLIES.

TENDERS are invited for the following Public Works and Supplies. For full particulars see Government Gazette, a file of which is kept at every Post-office in the colony.

Tenderers may be in attendance when the tenders are opened, and the name of the successful tenderer will be announced, if possible, before the duties of the Board have terminated.

No tender will be taken into consideration unless the terms of the notice are strictly complied with.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

| Nature of Works and Supplies. | Dates to which Tenders can be received at this office. |
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| Erection of Courthouse, Eastern Suburbs. Construction, &c., Engine-Driver's Quarters and other Buildings, Nyngan. Bridge over Barnagul Inlet. Ferry Punt for Croki, Manning River. Supply of Stores for Railways and Tramways during 1888. Supply, &c., Darling Harbour Railway Station of 2500 Sleepers. | Tuesday, October 4, at 11 o'clock. |
| The Erection, &c., Post and Telegraph Office, Junee Railway Station. Repairs, &c., Court Watchhouse, Wollombi. Bridge over Cooper's Creek, road Bomhill to Williams. Bridge over Whalan Watercourse, road Inverell to Gunnedah. Bridge over Boonal Creek, road Inverell to Goondiwindi. Tank, Fencing, &c., Police Station, Uralla. Widening and Improving Yanko Creek, Cont. No. 3. Kerbing and Guttering Public Buildings, Wellington. The Purchase of a piece of Land, Steam and Elgin streets, West Maitland. Fencing, &c., Gaol, Glen Innes. Completion of New Lands Office, Sydney. Supply of 20 Tramway Cars. | Tuesday, October 11, at 11 o'clock. |
| Manufacture, &c., of Single Ladder Steam Dredge, for Sydney Harbour. Balranald Water Supply, Cont. 2, Engine-house, &c. Balranald Water Supply, Cont. 3, Engine and Boiler. Bridge over Boomi River, at Yarrawa, Boad Moree to Mungindi (exclusive of supply of ironwork). Bridge, American Creek, at Fig Tree, main South Coast road. Bridge, Reedy Creek, road Bylstone to Sylong (Nos. 1 and 2). Alterations, &c., Gaol, at Tenterfield. Additions Lockup, Albury. | Tuesday, October 18, at 11 o'clock. |
| Supply, &c., of Iron Water Tower, Balranald Water Supply, Cont. No. 1. Bridge, Little Forest Creek, road Urana to Deniliquin. | Tuesday, October 25, at 11 o'clock. |
| Bridge over Three-mile Creek, road Wilcannia to Wentworth. | Tuesday, November 1, at 11 o'clock. |
| Supply, &c., of Pipes, &c., for Reticulation Balranald Water Supply, Cont. 5. | Tuesday, Nov. 8, at 11 o'clock. |

JOHN SUTHERLAND.

Department of Mines, Forest Branch, Sydney, 27th September, 1887.

ATTENTION is invited to the notice in the Government Gazette of the 27th instant, calling for tenders under the Private Pear Destruction Act of 1886, for a Lease of the Aberdeen Common, parish of Russell, county of Durham, area about 2030 acres.

The tenderer to state the term required.

TENDERS will be received at the Department of Mines up to noon of MONDAY, the 24th October next.

Plans of the common, conditions, and copy of bond may be seen, and form of tender obtained, at the Courthouse, Muswellbrook, and at this Department.

GERARD E. HERRING, for the Under Secretary.

## Public Notices.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

IN INSOLVENCY.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

ACCOUNTS current, with plans of distribution, in the undermentioned estates, showing dividends as specified, are now filed in the office of the Registrar in Insolvency, Phillip-street, Sydney, for the inspection of persons interested; and notice is hereby given that the same will be submitted to the Court for confirmation on THURSDAY, the 6th day of October, 1887, at 11 a.m., of such as are not objected to:—

MAX ROTH, of Angledool, storekeeper (No. 19,271), a third account and plan, showing a dividend of 1 1-16d. (one penny and one-sixteenth of a penny) per £ on all proved concurrent debts.

JOSEPH DELAFORCE, of Kempsey, Macleay River, storekeeper (No. 21,758), a first account and plan showing a dividend of 3¼d. (three farthings) per £ on all proved concurrent debts.

CHARLES AH LUM, of 144, King-street, Newtown, grocer (No. 21,529), a first account and plan showing a dividend of 3s 7 4-5d. (one shilling and seven pence and four-fifths of a penny) per £ on all proved concurrent debts.

HENRY JOSIAH WEST, of Riverstone, near Windsor, auctioneer (No. 21,480), a first account and plan showing a dividend of 1 1-3d (one penny and one-third of a penny) per £ on all proved concurrent debts.

WILLIAM WINDSOR, of Moruya, hotelkeeper (No. 21,337), a second account and plan showing an equalising dividend of 11s 4d. eleven shillings and fourpence) per £ on one proved debt herein; also a dividend of 8 1-42d. (seven shillings and eight pence and one-sixth of a penny) per £ on all further debts proved.

LANCELOT T. LLOYD, Official Assignee.

25, Denman-chambers, Phillip-street, Sydney, 29th September, 1887.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.

In the Lands, Goods, Chattels, Credits, and Effects of THOMAS COOPER SMIDMORE, late of Marrickville, near Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Gentleman, deceased, intestate.

NOTICE is hereby given that, after the expiration of fourteen days from the publication hereof, application will be made to the Supreme Court of New South Wales, in its Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction, that Letters of Administration of all and singular the lands, goods, chattels, credits, and effects of the abovenamed, deceased, who died at Marrickville, near Sydney, in the colony aforesaid, on or about the twenty-third day of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, may be granted to ALBERT MURRAY SMIDMORE, of Ashfield, Gentleman, a brother of the said deceased. Dated at Sydney, this 29th day of September, in the year of our Lord 1887. ELLIS and MAKINSON, Proctors for the Administrator, 125, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.

In the Goods, Chattels, Credits, and Effects of HENRY PETCH, late of No. 21, Prospect-street, Kingston-upon-Hull, England, Gentleman, deceased intestate.

CREDITORS in this estate are requested to send in their claims to the undersigned on or before the 9th day of NOVEMBER NEXT, after which date the Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets therein, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have received notice.

WANT, JOHNSON, and CO., Proctors for the Administrator, Hunter-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.

In the Will and Codicils of the Honourable SAMUEL HENRY TERRY, late of Ashfield, near Sydney, M.L.C., deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to this honourable Court, in its Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction, that probate of the last Will and Testament, and three Codicils thereto, of the Honourable SAMUEL HENRY TERRY, M.L.C., deceased, may be granted to EDWARD GREVILLE, of Sydney, Esquire, and WILLIAM RUSSELL, Junior, of Sydney, Solicitor, two of the Executors appointed by the said Will and Codicils, the other Executor, GEORGE ALFRED TUCKER, of Annandale, near Sydney, Physician having renounced probate.

Dated this 30th day of September, A.D., 1887.

RUSSELL and SONS, Proctors for the Executors, 350, George-street, Sydney.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c.

To the WIDOW, if any, and NEXT-OF-KIN of JOHN KAY, late of Tumut, in the colony of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased.

WHEREAS it has been represented to us in our Supreme Court of the colony of New South Wales, that the said JOHN KAY departed this life on or about the 24th day of November, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, intestate, having, at the time of his death, lands, goods, chattels, credits, and effects within the said colony: We hereby cite you to appear personally, or by your proctor before our said Court, at the Courthouse, King-street, Sydney, on or before the eighteenth day of October next, then and there to accept or refuse Letters of Administration of the lands, goods, chattels, credits, and effects of the said deceased, or to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be committed to THOMAS OWEN WEBB, of Tumut aforesaid, Farmer, the grantee of the lands and goods of the said deceased.

Witness the Honourable Sir Frederick Darley, Knight, Chief Justice of the said Supreme Court, at Sydney, this thirtieth day of September, in the fifty-first year of our reign. And A.D. 1887.

T. W. GARRETT, Ecclesiastical Clerk.

NOTICE is hereby given that by an Indenture of Assignment of even date, herewith made between JAMES MURTOUGH, of King-street, Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Commercial Broker and Agent (thereinafter designated Assignor), of the first part; THOMAS DALTON and ROBERT JACKSON, both of Sydney, aforesaid, Merchants (thereinafter designated Trustees), of the second part; and the several persons and bodies corporate, creditors of the said Assignor whose names are contained in the first schedule to the said Indenture, and all other the creditors of the said Assignor of the third part. All the real and personal estate and effects whatsoever and wheresoever situated, of the said Assignor (warings apparel and necessaries to an amount not exceeding £25 only excepted), were granted, assigned, transferred, and set over unto the said Trustees, their heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, for the benefit of all the creditors of the said Assignor, rateably and in proportion to their several and respective debts. And further, that the said Indenture has been duly executed by the said Assignor and by the said Trustees, and duly attested as by law required, and is now lying at the office of PATRICK JOHN BOURIGAN, of No. 103, Elizabeth-street, Sydney, aforesaid, Solicitor for the said Trustees for inspection and execution by all the creditors of the said Assignor.

Dated at Sydney aforesaid, this twenty-first day of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

JAMES MURTOUGH.
THOMAS DALTON.
ROBERT JACKSON.

Signed by the said James Murtough in the presence of JOHN S. JAMIESON, J.P.

Signed by the said Thomas Dalton in the presence of JOHN S. JAMIESON, J.P.

Signed by the said Robert Jackson in the presence of JOHN S. JAMIESON, J.P.

AUSTRALASIAN FREEMASON'S HALL CO.

NOTICE is hereby given that Shareholders can obtain payment of the amounts due to them (in the matter of the distribution of the assets of the above company) on and after the 7th September, 1887, between the hours of 10 and 12, at my office, Freemasons' Hall, 254, Clarence-street, Sydney.

A. H. BRAY, Secretary.

SYDNEY HOSPITAL.—The following Subscriptions and Donations, received from 1st to 30th September, are herewith thankfully acknowledged:—

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|---|---|
| His Excellency Lord Carrington, Governor-General | £10 0 0 |
| Mrs. S. Mathews, Auklaw, Park-road | 1 1 0 |
| Agents s.s. Meumair | 1 12 0 |
| Clarence and Richmond River Steam Navigation Co. | 5 5 0 |
| Benjamin and Seligmann, York-street | 2 2 0 |
| Tung Hung, Waterloo | 2 2 0 |
| German Consulate | 5 0 0 |
| Mrs. Martin, St. Leonards | 4 4 0 |
| Mrs. Proctor, ditto | 4 4 0 |
| Campbell Brothers, 436, George-street | 1 1 0 |
| Employees of Wiseman Brothers, York-street | 1 5 5 |
| H. E. Cohen, 80, Elizabeth-street | 1 1 0 |
| E. E. O'Connor, Wentworth Court | 1 0 0 |
| W. H. M'Lardy, 7, Hunter-street | 2 2 0 |
| Macnamara and Norton, Bond-street | 1 1 0 |
| Druids' Friendly Society | 2 2 0 |
| Charles Love | 1 1 0 |
| J. Croft, 117, Oxford-street | 1 0 0 |
| H. C. Kent, 139, Pitt-street | 1 1 0 |
| Charles Hall, Barristers' Court, Elizabeth-street | 1 1 0 |
| W. H. M'Clelland and Co., 90, King-street | 1 1 0 |
| W. A. Maclean, Wentworth Court | 1 0 0 |
| Want, Johnson, and Co., Norwich-chambers | 2 2 0 |
| S. M'Mahon, Macquarie Bond | 1 1 0 |
| Thomas E. Geddes, 794, George-street | 2 2 0 |
| Patrick Healy | 2 2 0 |
| A. Tange and Co., Pitt-street | 2 2 0 |
| Riley and Co., George-street | 1 1 0 |
| H. W. Webb, 74, King-street | 1 1 0 |
| J. W. Johnston and Co., 51, Margaret-street | 1 1 0 |
| R. Holdsworth, 79, Pitt-street | 2 2 0 |
| Jane Morrison | 2 0 0 |
| Ernest Collis | 4 4 0 |
| Myers and Cantor, Pitt-street | 2 2 0 |
| Hardy Brothers, Hunter-street | 2 2 0 |
| Newcastle Wallsend Coal Co. | 5 0 0 |
| Arthur Blacket, Bond-street | 2 0 0 |
| Craig and Aitken, 680, George-street | 1 1 0 |
| C. Lester, 313, Elizabeth-street | 1 1 0 |
| G. H. Reid, M.L.A., Wentworth-court | 1 1 0 |
| Watt and Dodds, 151, Pitt-street | 5 0 0 |
| B. Friesbach | 11 12 0 |
| Wilhelm Gausst | 7 4 0 |
| John M'Kinnon | 2 2 0 |
| John Hurst, 331, George-street | 1 1 0 |
| Buckingham and Pepper, 310, George-street | 2 2 0 |
| De Lissa and Phillips, 8, Barrack-street | 2 2 0 |
| Shortland and Sons, Circular Quay | 2 2 0 |
| Batt, Rodd, and Purves, Pitt-street | 2 2 0 |
| Thos. B. Rolin, Pitt-street | 3 3 0 |
| Henry G. Benson, Botany | 2 0 0 |
| Meyerfeld and Co., Macquarie-place | 1 1 0 |
| Gibbs, Bright, and Co., Pitt-street | 2 2 0 |
| Jane Lawson | 1 6 0 |
| Masters and Engineers of Harbours and Rivers Steamers' Association | 2 2 0 |
| Alfred Shaw, Denman's-chambers, Phillip-street | 1 1 0 |
| D. T. | 25 0 0 |
| Sydney Burdekin, Macquarie-street | 2 2 0 |
| Kaiser Wilhelm Spende | 2 2 0 |
| Agents Ship Ashlims | 3 0 0 |
| Charles Roberts, Cleveland-street, Redfern | 1 1 0 |
| Mrs. S. Cowell | 1 1 0 |
| Captain Lloyd | 1 1 0 |
| Henry Brooks, Glen Innes | 2 2 0 |
| Employees J. and J. Marshall, Paddington Brewery | 2 15 0 |
| Donald Munson and Co., Wynyard-square | 1 1 0 |
| W. Tate, 33, Oxford-street, Paddington | 1 1 0 |
| J. and R. Cornwell, Bourke-street, Redfern | 3 3 0 |
| Allen and Allen, Phillip-street | 2 2 0 |
| Chas. G. Cameron, Eveston, Balmain | 2 2 0 |
| John A. Wilde | 1 1 0 |
| Maxwell and Vale, Phillip-street | 1 1 0 |
| "The Pittsburgh" | 1 1 0 |
| Farleigh, Nettheim, and Co., York-street | 2 2 0 |
| Roach, Berthold, and Co., 118, Pitt-street | 1 1 0 |
| R. Johnson, 105, King-street | 1 1 0 |
| William H. Bage | 1 1 0 |
| Orient Steam Navigation Company | 7 1 0 |
| J. M'Laughlin, 118, Pitt-street | 1 1 0 |
| W. P. Faithfull, 161, King-street | 1 1 0 |
| Mrs. M. S. S. Haynes, Macleay-street | 1 1 0 |
| Edmund Barton, Lands Title Branch, Elizabeth-street | 1 1 0 |
| Schmeidea, Erbslan, and Co., 74, Pitt-street | 1 1 0 |
| Rev. J. Hargrave, St. David's, Surry Hills | 1 1 0 |
| Mrs. W. A. Wright | 3 3 0 |
| C. Hosmer | 5 5 0 |
| C. H. Keel, Lands Title Department, Elizabeth-street | 1 0 0 |
| Edward A. Ramus, Department of Audit | 1 0 0 |
| John Stewart | 1 1 0 |
| Mrs. Mary Armstrong, Paddington | 2 2 0 |
| Henry Taylor | 2 2 0 |
| Geo. W. Stream, Department of Education | 1 1 0 |
| John Hoffer, ditto ditto | 1 0 0 |
| John Booth, ditto ditto | 1 0 0 |
| George Miller, ditto ditto | 1 0 0 |
| Alfred P. H. Steuben, High-street | 1 1 0 |
| Alfred Lamb and Co., Young-street | 2 2 0 |
| Edward Coulter, George-street West | 2 2 0 |
| Charles H. M'Lee | 13 13 0 |
| William E. Kemp, Education Department | 1 0 0 |
| Mr. Susan Miller | 1 1 0 |
| Kendall and Son, George-street North | 1 1 0 |
| R. C. Close, Stanmore | 1 1 0 |
| Burns, Philp, and Co. | 7 15 0 |
| Thomas Annis, Royal Hotel | 5 0 0 |
| Mrs. Jane Davy, Lane Cove | 2 2 0 |
| Talbot and Co., Circular Quay | 2 2 0 |
| Montefiore, Joseph, and Co., O'Connell-street | 2 2 0 |
| Italian Benefit Society, per G. B. Moulini | 5 5 0 |
| Cadbury Bros., 125, Kent-street | 1 0 0 |
| George Merriman, M.L.A., Castlereagh-street | 1 1 0 |
| Samuel Innes | 3 3 0 |
| James White, Crown-street, Surry Hills | 1 1 0 |
| J. T. and J. Toohey, Standard Brewery | 5 5 0 |
| John Barlow and Co., George-street | 2 2 0 |
| John Vicars and Co., Sussex-street | 2 2 0 |
| Subscriptions under 21s and donations to casualty-room boxes | 21 11 6 |
| | £335 16 0 |

SYDNEY BURDEKIN, Honorary Treasurer.

PRINCE ALFRED HOSPITAL.

The Hon. Treasurer thankfully acknowledges the receipt of the following Subscriptions and Donations since 1st September, 1887:—

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|---|---|
| John Holman | £1 1 0 |
| Samuel M'Cree | 6 6 0 |
| W. E. M'Dougall | 2 2 0 |
| R. Meadows | 2 2 0 |
| E. Smith | 7 0 0 |
| P. Cadman | 11 10 0 |
| Patrick Riley | 6 3 0 |
| William Geary | 8 8 0 |
| A. Dawes | 2 0 0 |
| Frederick Dearnell | 2 0 0 |
| H. F. Parsons | 2 0 0 |
| W. J. Frewin | 2 10 0 |
| Peter Adams | 11 3 0 |
| George Gough | 2 2 0 |
| Alfred Williams | 1 1 0 |
| M. Greenwood | 19 0 0 |
| Joseph Nicol | 1 4 0 |
| John Dodd | 1 0 0 |
| G. Rogers | 1 10 0 |
| William Lipscombe | 1 0 0 |
| Wm. Gee | 1 1 0 |
| A. M. Bardon | 2 2 1 |
| M. Derrick | 10 10 0 |
| Carl Kristenson | 1 0 0 |
| W. T. Hobson | 0 9 0 |
| George Lavender | 2 2 0 |
| R. Seecombe | 1 0 0 |
| John Small | 5 5 0 |
| O. Colbourne, per Mrs. Balfour | 8 5 0 |
| Fred Timpson | 6 6 0 |
| Albert Sands, per Mrs. Fairfax | 3 3 0 |
| O. Sydes, per Mr. Best | 3 15 0 |
| R. Mayne | 8 13 0 |
| F. J. Bennett | 3 0 0 |
| Alfred Warren | 10 0 0 |
| R. Lee | 1 1 0 |
| R. Branscombe | 1 1 0 |
| M. Makepeace | 1 0 0 |
| Michael Murphy | 2 2 0 |
| John Austen | 3 3 0 |
| J. A. E. Nash | 12 11 0 |
| A. Proctor | 14 0 0 |
| J. J. Bart | 1 1 0 |
| Mercantile Bank of Sydney | 10 10 0 |
| Stephen, Laurence, and Jaques | 3 3 0 |
| D. J. Monk | 2 2 0 |
| Australian Joint Stock Bank | 10 10 0 |
| J. S. Fry and Sons | 2 2 0 |
| John Hamblin | 2 2 0 |
| Commercial Union Assurance Co. | 2 2 0 |
| Sanders and Harris | 2 2 0 |
| Mitchell and Co. | 1 1 0 |
| L. Aaron | 1 1 0 |
| S. Foster and Sons | 2 2 0 |
| W. S. Friend and Co. | 2 2 0 |
| Mrs. Hoskinson | 1 0 0 |
| G. Davison | 5 5 0 |
| John Scott and Co. | 1 1 0 |
| John Brush, Son, and Co. | 2 2 0 |
| W. M. Macready | 2 2 0 |
| Mr. M. B. Jenkins | 2 2 0 |
| George Wall | 1 1 0 |
| F. Parks | 1 1 0 |
| J. Downes Wood | 1 1 0 |
| Myers and Cantor | 2 2 0 |
| De Lissa and Phillips | 2 2 0 |
| Parker Bros. | 1 1 0 |
| James Larkin | 1 1 0 |
| No. 16 L. O. L. | 2 2 0 |
| William Ayton | 1 1 0 |
| Wickham and Martin | 2 2 0 |
| George Peacock | 2 2 0 |
| John Baptist | 10 0 0 |
| W. S. Buzacott | 1 1 0 |
| Sydney Soap and Candle Company, Limited | 1 1 0 |
| W. Carey and Sons | 1 1 0 |
| Benjamin Short | 2 2 0 |
| Mrs. Fanny Johnston | 2 2 0 |
| J. C. Goodwin and Co. | 1 1 0 |
| The Misses Marsh | 1 1 0 |
| H. J. Lyons and Son | 1 1 0 |
| D. M'Kinley | 1 1 0 |
| Charles Frankel | 1 1 0 |
| Thomas Tye | 2 2 0 |
| Sums under £1 | 4 7 0 |
| Contributions from outpatients | 6 16 0 |
| | £324 5 8 |

H. E. A. ALLAN, Hon. Treasurer.

Exchange-chambers, September 30, 1887.

CITY NIGHT REFUGE and SOUP KITCHEN.

The Committee acknowledge with thanks the following subscriptions and donations, received September, 1887:—

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| D. T. | £10 0 0 |
| A. A. Dangar, Esq. | 1 1 0 |
| C. Bowen, Esq. | 1 1 0 |
| R. W. Clapham, Esq. | 1 1 0 |
| Justus Scharff, Esq. | 1 1 0 |
| N. J. Crocker, Esq. | 1 1 0 |
| A. Albury, Esq. | 1 1 0 |
| E. Millett, Esq. | 0 10 0 |
| M. B. Geoghan, Esq. | 0 10 0 |
| Messrs. Feldheim, Gotthelf, and Co. | 2 2 0 |
| Messrs. Garrick and Co. | 1 1 0 |
| Messrs. W. Gardiner and Co. | 1 1 0 |
| Messrs. Briscoe, Drysdale, and Co. | 1 1 0 |
| Messrs. Wall and Molesworth | 1 1 0 |
| | £24 15 0 |

J. R. LOVE, Hon. Treasurer.

THE AUSTRALIAN JOINT STOCK BANK, Incorporated by Act of Council, 1853.

A BRANCH of this Bank is now open at Normanton, Northern Queensland, for the transaction of all usual banking business.

By order of the Board.

FRANCIS ADAMS, General Manager.

Sydney, 27th September, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of the SILVERTON TRAMWAY COMPANY, LIMITED, to apply during the present Session of the Parliament of New South Wales for leave to bring in a Bill to authorise the said Company to construct, maintain, and use a Tramway line from the terminus of its present line at Broken Hill, across Stephen's Creek, to the Eurowie Tin Mines, and thence to the Town of Wilcannia, on the Darling River, over, across, and along the land described in the schedule to the said Bill, and to use steam or other motive power upon the said Tramway, and to carry thereon passengers, goods, and live stock, at rates or tolls, and for the other purposes comprised in the said Bill.

Dated the 28th day of September, 1887.

ABBOTT and ALLEN, Solicitors for the applicants, 257, Wentworth-Court, Sydney.

NOTICE is hereby given that Messrs. GIBBS, BRIGHT, and CO., have been appointed the Attorneys and Agents of RICHARD BELL, the Inventor and Patentee of "R. Bell's Patent Fusee Vestas," for the sale in the colony of New South Wales of such Vestas, and have also been appointed the Attorneys and Agents in the said colony of the Fusee Vesta Company, Limited, Front Pleasant, Wandsworth, London. And they are instructed to take proceedings against all persons infringing the patent rights.

NORTON, SMITH, and WESTGARTH, Solicitors for Gibbs, Bright, and Co., 2, O'Connell-street, Sydney.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CONDITIONAL PUBLICAN'S LICENSE.

I, HENRY JAMES DYSON, of New Canterbury-road, Petersham, Builder, do hereby give notice that I desire to obtain and will at the next Licensing Court, to be holden at the Central Police Court, Sydney, on the 13th day of October next, apply for a Certificate authorising the issue of a Conditional Publican's License for a house to be erected at the intersection of Brownlow-street and the New Canterbury-road, Petersham, containing twenty-seven rooms exclusive of those required for the use of the family.

Dated the twenty-eighth day of September, 1887.

H. J. DYSON, New Canterbury-road, Petersham.

SECOND NOTICE.

PURSUANT to the Lunacy Act of 1878, the Creditors of THOMAS MEAGHER, formerly of MERRIWA, but now for some years past residing at the Hospital for the Insane, Gladesville, Bachelor, a person of unsound mind, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before the Master in Lunacy, at his office, Supreme Court, King-street, or, in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded the benefit of the inquiry now pending relative thereto.

Dated this 26th day of September, 1887.

H. F. BARTON, Master in Lunacy.

ALL PERSONS who are, or may hereafter become, indebted to me under mortgages or otherwise in any sums of money are requested to pay the same to Mr. T. MARSHALL, Solicitor, Pitt-street, Sydney, whose receipts shall be sufficient discharge.

GREGORY BOARD.

Brisbane-street, Sydney, July 20, 1887.

ALL ACCOUNTS, of whatever kind, due by J. G. O'CONNOR must be rendered in duplicate on or before TUESDAY NEXT, to 21, Clarence-street.

ESTATE of Messrs. JOHN WILSON and CO., Warehousemen, York-street.

Having this day purchased by tender the whole of the Stock in the above Estate, amounting to £25,405 13s 1d, we shall offer the same in a few days, due notice of which will be given by circular.

W. GARDINER and CO., George-street.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS against Dr. G. A. TUCKER, of Annandale, who is visiting the other colonies preparatory to leaving for Europe, must be forwarded to

EDWARD GREVILLE, 274, George-street, Sydney.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE of J. H. VICKERY, George-street, Sydney.

A First and Final DIVIDEND at the rate of 3d. three shillings in the £ in the above Estate is now payable at the office of the undersigned.

T. S. SCHOLEFIELD, Alison-lane, 329a, George-street, Sydney, Trustee in the Estate.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE of H. A. HARRIS, of Deniliquin.

It is requested that all persons having Claims against this Estate will render particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before THURSDAY NEXT, October 6th.

STARKEY and TAYLOR, Chartered Accountants, 31a, York-street.

Sydney, 30th September, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given that Messrs. GIBBS, BRIGHT, and CO. have been appointed the Attorneys and Agents for the colony of New South Wales of ROBERT BELL, the Inventor and Patentee of R. Bell's Patent Fusee Vestas, and also of the Fusee Vesta Company, Limited, Point Pleasant, Wandsworth, London, and they are instructed to take proceedings against all persons infringing the patent rights.

NORTON, SMITH, and WESTGARTH, Solicitors, 2, O'Connell-street.

NOTICE.

Whereas we have reason to believe that Granulated Beet, and other SUGARS are being re-packed and delivered in bags bearing our Registered brands. Notice is hereby given that a reward of £50 will be paid for information leading to the conviction of any person committing this fraud, which can be readily detected by analysis of the sugars.

EDW. W. KNOX, General Manager, Colonial Sugar Refining Company, Limited.

26th August, 1887.

AUSTRALIAN GAS LIGHT COMPANY.

FIRST AND SECOND INSTALMENTS.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a Special General Meeting of the Proprietors of this Company, held at the Company's Office, Sydney, This Day, the following resolution was passed unanimously:—

"That this Meeting hereby calls for the payment of Two Instalments of the present calls per share, together with six shillings and eightpence each instalment per share, as proportion of premium, on the new shares now created, such payments to be made to the Treasurer, the Bank of New South Wales, in George-street, Sydney, as follows, namely: the First Instalment to be paid on the first day of October next, the second on the third day of January next."

By order of the Board.

W. JOHNSON, Secretary.

Company's Office, Sydney, 19th August, 1887.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE SOCIETY.

ESTABLISHED 1872.

POLICYHOLDERS will please take notice that the BONUS of 25 per cent. saved between them and the shareholders for the FIFTEENTH YEAR ending 31st MARCH, 1887, is payable as their respective policies expire.

This is the first Fire Insurance Society established in Sydney on the MUTUAL PRINCIPLE, giving policyholders back part of their premiums as a CASH BONUS out of profits every year; and BONUSES of 25 per cent. have been declared ANNUALLY since 1873.

WALTER CHURCH, Manager.

Head Office—Corner of King and Pitt streets, Sydney.

ANGLO - AUSTRALIAN INVESTMENT, FINANCE, AND LAND COMPANY, Limited.

The business of this Company is now conducted at their new offices, No. 24, Hunter-street, between Pitt and George streets, Sydney.

Money received on current account (operated on by cheque) at call, and on fixed deposit.

Advances made on Freehold Property and other securities on repayments to suit borrowers.

Choice Building Allotments and Farms for sale in various suburban and country localities on easy terms of repayment.

A. R. KERR, Acting Manager.

INDUSTRIAL MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, Limited.

Interim DIVIDEND, at the rate of 10 PER CENT. PER ANNUM, will be payable to the Shareholders of this Company, at the Office, 131, York-street, Sydney, on and after the 1st October, 1887.

WILLIAM JARRETT, Manager.

26th September, 1887.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—The National Loan Bank and Discount Company, 210, Castlereagh-street, near Mercantile Building Society, is now open for business at very low rates of interest. A. GOLDBERG, Manager.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

It is hereby notified that in future ALL PARRAMATTA BOATS will CALL regularly at TENNYSON both going up and down the PARRAMATTA RIVER.

C. E. JEANNERET.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE SOCIETY.

Head Office, corner Pitt and King streets.

MONDAY, the 3rd October, being a public holiday, the Offices of this society will be CLOSED.

WALTER CHURCH, Manager.

Sydney, September 29, 1887.

MONDAY BEING PROCLAIMED A PUBLIC HOLIDAY (Eight-Hour Demonstration), THE ROYAL FURNISHING ARCADE will be CLOSED.

CAMPBELL BROTHERS, 436, George-street.

OUR ESTABLISHMENT will be CLOSED on MONDAY next, 3rd October, it being a PUBLIC HOLIDAY.

THOMPSON and GILES.

ST. JOSEPH'S INVESTMENT AND BUILDING SOCIETY, 73, ELIZABETH-STREET, NORTH.

The Offices of the above Society will be OPEN THIS (SATURDAY) NIGHT, for the Receipt of Deposits only.

E. J. BURKE, Manager.

NEXT MONDAY being a PUBLIC HOLIDAY, the OFFICES and Salerooms of the undersigned will be CLOSED.

HARDIE and GORMAN, 133, Pitt-street.

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THE PERMANENT MUTUAL BENEFIT BUILDING, AND INVESTMENT SOCIETY, 316, George-street, Sydney.

MONDAY NEXT, the 3rd October, being a PUBLIC HOLIDAY, the OFFICE will be CLOSED.

J. M. FOGARTY, Secretary.

ANGLO - AUSTRALIAN INVESTMENT, FINANCE, AND LAND COMPANY, Limited.

The Offices of the above Company will be CLOSED on MONDAY, 3rd October.

A. R. KERR, Acting Manager.

24, Hunter-street, Sydney.

THE AUSTRALASIAN TRUST MANAGEMENT ASSURANCE and INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited.

Chief Office: Corner of King and Elizabeth streets.

The OFFICES of this Company will be CLOSED on MONDAY, October 3, being a public holiday.

By order, J. F. KYLE, Accountant.

Sydney, September 30, 1887.

MERCANTILE MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY, Limited.

Head Offices—No. 120, Pitt-street.

NOTICE.

MONDAY, 3rd OCTOBER, being a Public Holiday, the OFFICES of this Company will be CLOSED.

KELSO KING, Secretary.

Sydney, 30th September, 1887.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON.—The Offices of this Company will be CLOSED on MONDAY 3rd October. R. D. TREACY, Resident Manager, 93, Pitt-street, Sydney.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

MONDAY NEXT being a Public Holiday, our Establishment will be CLOSED.

M'CLELLAND and ROACH, Brickfield-hill.

CITY and COUNTY INVESTMENT, LAND, and BUILDING COMPANY, Limited.

MONDAY, 3rd October, being a Public Holiday, the Offices of this Company will be CLOSED.

J. H. WARD, Manager.

MONDAY, 3rd October, being a Public Holiday, our Establishment will be CLOSED. Peate and Harcourt.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—The Showrooms of the undersigned will be CLOSED on MONDAY, the 3rd instant. HARDY BROTHERS, Jewellers, 13, Hunter-street.

SYDNEY STOCK EXCHANGE.

MONDAY, the 3rd instant, being a public holiday, there will be NO MEETING of members. LEWIS H. BAIN, Hon. Sec.

Sydney, 1st October, 1887.

AUSTRALIAN GASLIGHT COMPANY.

NOTICE.

MONDAY, the 3rd October instant, being a Public Holiday, the Offices of this Company will be CLOSED.

W. JOHNSTON, Secretary.

Company's Office, Sydney, 1st October, 1887.

METROPOLITAN MUTUAL PERMANENT BUILDING and INVESTMENT ASSOCIATION, Limited, 65, MARKET-STREET.

MONDAY, 3rd OCTOBER, being a PUBLIC HOLIDAY, the OFFICES of the above association WILL BE CLOSED.

ROBERT W. CONWAY, Manager.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—We beg to notify that our Establishments will be CLOSED on MONDAY, 3rd instant.

JAMES SANDY and CO.

THE COLONIAL MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY, Limited, 105, Pitt-street.

MONDAY, October 3, being a PUBLIC HOLIDAY, the Offices of this Society will be CLOSED.

ARTHUR E. GIBBS, pro Secretary.

Sydney, September 30, 1887.

EIGHT-HOURS' DEMONSTRATION.

We beg to give notice that our Establishment will be CLOSED on MONDAY Next, October 3, in honour of the above event.

RILEY BROTHERS, 163 and 165, Oxford-street.

OUR SHOWROOMS and Stores will be CLOSED on Monday, 3rd Oct. Bray Bros., Importers, 402, George-st.

W. H. PALING AND CO.'S PIANO, ORGAN, and MUSIC WAREHOUSE will be CLOSED on MONDAY, 3rd October.

EIGHT HOURS' DEMONSTRATION.

The OFFICES of the MERCANTILE BUILDING LAND AND INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, will be CLOSED on MONDAY, 3rd October.

EDWIN J. C. BRYANT, General Manager.

THE SYDNEY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, Limited, 73, Elizabeth-street.

MONDAY, the 3rd instant, being a PUBLIC HOLIDAY, the OFFICES of this Company will be CLOSED.

E. J. RUBEN, Managing Director.

October 1.

SYDNEY AND SUBURBAN MUTUAL PERMANENT BUILDING AND LAND INVESTMENT ASSOCIATION, Limited.

NOTICE.

MONDAY, being a GENERAL HOLIDAY, the OFFICE will be CLOSED. Payments received on TUESDAY EVENING, from 7 to 9 o'clock.

S. H. LEWIS, Manager.

176, Pitt-street.

BANK HOLIDAY.—MONDAY being a Bank Holiday, the Offices of the Sydney and Provincial Land and Building Co., Limited, will be CLOSED.

WILLIAM DAVIES, Manager.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—MONDAY next, 3rd October, being the celebration of the Eight-hour Demonstration, our Establishment will be CLOSED. KERR and TODD, Jewellers, 791, George-street, Sydney.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—MONDAY next, 3rd October, being the Celebration of the Eight Hour Demonstration, all the Establishments of the undersigned will be CLOSED.

JAS. KIDMAN.

THE NEW BATHS, 280, George-street, one door north of Hunter-street, are open daily from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. Hot, Cold, and shower. Charge, 1s.

S. COHEN, Tobacconist and Silks Importer.

A CARD.—Mr. CHAS. J. O'CONNOR, Solicitor, 101, Phillip-street.

BUTLER (from Goulburn), 417, George-street, Sydney, next Lassetter's. HIGH-CLASS TAILORING.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—To Ginger Beer Manufacturers, Bottle Gatherers, and Others.—Messrs. J. and J. T. Bregden, trading as W. Starkey, of Castlereagh-street, Redfern, Ginger Beer Manufacturers, HEREBY CAUTION all persons from buying, selling, or otherwise using their Ginger Beer bottles having their registered trade-mark, a five-pointed star with the letter S in the centre impressed thereon.

I WILL not be answerable for any Debts contracted in my name. THOS. FOSTER, 3, Ice-street, Darlinghurst.

GASOLENE.

The NEW SOUTH WALES SHALE and OIL COMPANY are now selling GASOLENE at the following rates, viz.:—

No. 1 Gasolene, spec. gravity, 680, 2s 6d per gallon, naked.
No. 2 Gasolene, spec. gravity, 685, 1s 9d ditto, in packages.

These low rates are consequent upon the removal of works.

For further particulars, apply Head Office, 122, CLARENCE-STREET, SYDNEY.

NOTICE TO TRAVELLERS BY SEA AND LAND.

JOHN BRUSH, SON, and CO. direct special attention to their Portmanteau and Trunk Depot, having the Largest Stock in the Colonies offer the undermentioned List of Goods at English market prices:—

Portmanteaus, trunks, bags, fitted bags and cases, ladies' bags, valises, writing folios, satchels, purses, straps and rug straps, wallets, &c., and every travelling requisite.

Overland trunks, state-room trunks, imperials, dress trunks, steel trunks (made to fit under berths of mail steamers).

403, 405, GEORGE-STREET.

Illustrated catalogue of travelling requisites sent on application.

MEETINGS of Companies, Creditors, &c., may be held in the Large Room of the MERCANTILE MUTUAL CHAMBERS, 120, Pitt-street, opposite General Post Office.

Every convenience provided, charges moderate.

Apply KELSO KING, Secretary, Mercantile Mutual Insurance Company, Limited.

THE SYDNEY BANKS hereby offer a REWARD of £50 for information that may lead to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons Forging any of their Bank Notes.

Sydney, 11th January, 1887.

MINERALS and ORES, especially Argentiferous Galena and Auriferous Pyrites, also Wolfram, Bismuth, Tin, Cobalt, and Manganese, are received for SHIPMENT to Europe by the undersigned, on advantageous terms.

OPPENHEIMER and CO., Cape's-chambers, Bond-street.

PHOTOGRAPHERS' Silver Residues bought or reduced to Nitrate, by J. B. Tanner, 188, John st., Pyrmont.

ORE received for shipment to British or Continental Smelting Works. H. Haege and Co., agents.

JAMES MOIR AND CO., Stock, Station, and General Commission Agents, 50, Margaret-street, Sydney.

Liberal Advances made on STATIONS and STOCK; also, on WOOL, TALLOW, HIDES, and COLONIAL PRODUCE consigned to them for sale or shipment.

MORT'S WOOL WAREHOUSES, Sydney.

LIBERAL ADVANCES made on WOOL, SHEEPSKINS, TALLOW, HIDES, WHEAT, TIN ORE, and other Produce, for SALE or SHIPMENT.

MORT and CO., Limited, Wool Warehouses, Circular Quay and Darling Harbour, Sydney.

GAS STOVES.—Raleigh's Paragon, £1 deposit, £1 monthly. Cooking on Tuesday, 11 till 1. 248, Elizabeth-st.

TO-DAY, CLAREVILLE, SANDRINGHAM. Free tickets. Richardson and Wrench.

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## Public Companies.

BROADWATER PARK POULTRY and DAIRY COMPANY, Limited, BRISBANE, QUEENSLAND.
(To be Registered under "The Companies Act, 1863.")

CAPITAL—£20,000, in 20,000 SHARES of £1 each. Payable 6d on Application, 6d on Allotment; The Balance in calls of not more than 5s per Share, at intervals of not less than one month.

Provisional Directors:

Sir Thos. M'Ilwraith, K.C.M.G., Brisbane; J. F. Buckland, M.L.A., Brisbane; J. B. L. Isambert, M.L.A., Brisbane; J. Hipwood, Esq., Mayor of Brisbane; W. T. Clark, Esq., Civil Engineer, Brisbane; Major Lyster, Brisbane; Jas. Overend, Esq., J.P., Railway contractor, Brisbane; T. Ahern, Esq., Railway Contractor, Brisbane; Robert Porter, Esq., J.P., Brisbane; John Petts, Esq., J.P., Brisbane; Col. French, Brisbane; Hon. W. F. Taylor, M.D., M.L.C., Brisbane; Dr. Purcel, Brisbane; Dr. Hancock, Brisbane; Dr. Tilston, Brisbane; Dr. W. Byrne, Brisbane; Dr. C. Lobbell, Brisbane; Dr. Little, Brisbane; Prof. Pepper, Brisbane; Edward Taylor, Esq., Berkley, Taylor, and Co.; D. K. Eden, Esq., J.P., Brisbane; M. S. Gannon, Esq., Brisbane.

Manager: THOMAS WARLOW.
Solicitors: Messrs. CHAMBERS, BRUCE, and M'NAB.
Bankers: THE ROYAL BANK OF QUEENSLAND.
SYDNEY AGENT: HENRY CHAPMAN, 143, King-street.

Over 10,000 Shares are already taken up.

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ESTIMATE OF RETURNS OF FARM. FIRST YEAR.

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| Profit on Poultry, estimated at one third the profit of American farms | £1003 0 0 |
| Dairy, Pigs, and Vegetables (daily returns)— 60 cows, at 4 quarts per day, equal to 480 quarts, at 4d | £9 0 0 |
| 20 acres of garden, say 15 dozen vegetables per day, at 3d | 2 10 0 |
| 1 1/2 pig per day, 200lb., at 4d., and 1 sucker | 3 10 0 |
| 50 dozen bundles green fodder, at 1s per dozen | 2 10 0 |
| | £16 10 0 |
| (These prices are not retail.) Yearly | £6144 0 0 |
| Labour, wear, tear, and rent, £10 per week | 2080 0 0 |
| | £3064 0 0 |

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AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE.
Having examined the Books of the above Company, I certify that the amount stated as expended is correct.
(Signed) ROBERT H. MILLS, Auditor.

CITY MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY Limited.
Head Office, 49, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.
Directors: J. See, Esq., M.L.A. (chairman); Dr. Power; P. Hogan, Esq., M.L.A.; Hon. E. Barton, M.L.C.; F. B. Freehill, Esq., M.A.; John Hardie, Esq., J.P.; Hon. J. P. Garvan, M.L.A.
Auditors: John B. C. Miles, Esq. (Messrs. Davenport, Miles, and Co.); W. G. Winden, Esq.
Life assurance in all its branches transacted at lowest rates of premium.
J. P. GARVAN, Managing Director.

THIS DAY, BUILDING SITES, Fowler's Estate, Camperdown. HARDIE and GORMAN, 133, Pitt-street.

PROSPECTUS of NEW CHUM GOLD-MINING COMPANY, Limited, CROYDON, QUEENSLAND. (To be registered under the Companies Act of 1874.)

CAPITAL, £40,000, in 40,000 shares of £1 each, of which 15,000 shares fully paid up are retained by the present proprietors. 25,000 contributing shares issued as paid up to 7s 6d each are now offered to the public on the following terms, viz., 2s 6d per share on application; 2s 6d on allotment; balance in calls not to exceed 1s per share per month.

PROVISIONAL DIRECTORS: Russell Barton, Esq.; John Ahearn, Esq.; T. S. Little, Esq.; W. J. Hobbs, Esq.; W. Gallagher, Esq.; Francis Tait, Esq.

BANKERS: Commercial Banking Company of Sydney.
SOLICITORS: Messrs. Robberds and Son, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.
BROKERS: Messrs. T. J. Thompson and Sons, Eldon-chambers, 92, Pitt-street, Sydney.

OBJECTS OF THE COMPANY.

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| Purchase money | £3000 |
| Cost of 10-head crushing battery | 3000 |
| Cost of dam | 500 |
| Developing mine | 1500 |
| Contingencies, say | 500 |
| | £10,500 |

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T. J. THOMPSON and SONS, Brokers to the Company.

Report of Captain James Dunstan on the Prospecting Area and No. 1 North New Chum line of Reef, Croydon.

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"CAPT. JAMES DUNSTAN, "Late Manager Great Cobar Copper Mine."

Report of Mr. C. W. Stone on the Prospecting area, No. 1 North New Chum line of Reef, Croydon.

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"Yours faithfully, "C. W. STONE."

THE NEW CHUM GOLD-MINING COMPANY, Limited, Croydon, Northern Queensland.

APPLICATION FOR SHARES.

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Signature ............ Name in full ............ Address ............ Occupation ............

TATE BROTHERS' AGENCY and TRADING COMPANY, Limited.
Capital, £100,000, in 100,000 shares of £1 each. Registered under the Companies Act.
HEAD OFFICES: 138, SUSSEX-STREET, SYDNEY.
BOARD OF DIRECTORS: JAMES STEERS, Esq., Chairman; ROBT. CAMPBELL, Esq., J.P. (President Manning River and North Coast Farmers' Association); R. X. de B. LOPEZ, Esq., J.P.; GEORGE W. TATE, Esq.; JOHN TATE, Esq. — Managing Directors.

THE COMPANY'S DEPOSIT AND SAVINGS BANK.
FIXED DEPOSITS for 3, 6, and 12 months will be received, and the highest rate of interest allowed.
AMOUNTS WITHDRAWABLE AT CALL, interest paid at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum (computed on the weekly balances), and withdrawable by the depositor at any time.
A DIVIDEND OF 10 PER CENT. IS GUARANTEED AND SECURED TO THE SHAREHOLDERS FOR THE FIRST THREE YEARS.
APPLICATIONS FOR SHARES will be received.
Prospectus on Application.
W. H. WESTGARTH, Secretary.

THIS DAY, BUILDING SITES, Fowler's Estate, Camperdown. HARDIE and GORMAN, 133, Pitt-street.

FERNBANK, Marrickville.—Auction Sale, Saturday, 22nd October; best position, easy terms, assistance to build.

PROSPECTUS of the TARANGANBA PROPRIETARY GOLD COMPANY, Limited.
(Registered under the Companies Act.)
Capital: £1,000,000, in 1,000,000 Shares of £1 each.
Provision has been made for a net working capital of £38,000.

Directors: The Hon. E. VICKERY, M.L.C., Chairman; G. R. DIBBS, Esq., M.L.A.; WILLIAM LAIDLEY, Esq.; JOHN KEEP, Esq.; JAMES FLETCHER, Esq., M.L.A.
Bankers: BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
Legal Manager: LEONARD DODDS (of Messrs. Watt and Dodds).
Registered Office: 131, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.

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APPLICATION FOR SHARES.
To the Directors of the Taranganba Proprietary Gold Company, Limited.
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Name ............ Address ............ Occupation ............

PROSPECTUS of MAIDEN SILVER MINING COMPANY, No Liability, ROCKWELL PADDOCK, BARRIER RANGES, N. S. W.

To be Registered and Incorporated in Victoria under the "Mining Companies Act 1871."

CAPITAL, £100,000, in 100,000 Shares of £1 each, of which 75,000 Shares paid up to 15s are retained by the present Proprietors. 25,000 Shares as paid up to 15s are offered to the public on the following terms:—1s per share on application, 1s per share on allotment.

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Provisional Directors: H. J. FINK, Esq., M.L.A., Melbourne; W. MADDEN, Esq., Menindie, N. S. W.
Solicitors: Messrs. FINK and BEST, Collins-street East, Melbourne.
Bankers: THE CITY OF MELBOURNE BANK, Limited.
Manager: GRANVILLE S. PRICE, 36, Collins-street West, Melbourne.

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"Yours faithfully, "W. H. MORRIS, "Mine Manager. "Central Broken Hill Silver-mining Company, No Liability."

APPLICATIONS FOR SHARES will be received by

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| In MELBOURNE | Messrs. COBURN and DITCHBURN, 19, Collins-street West. |
| Ditto | Mr. JOHN SIMSON, Exchange. |
| In BALLARAT | Messrs. STODDART and BINNIE, Exchange. |
| In SYDNEY | Messrs. BRADLEY and TAYLOR, York-street. |
| In ADELAIDE | Mr. HENRY BELLINGHAM, Exchange. |
| In BROKEN HILL | Mr. THOMAS HUNTER. |
| In SILVERTON | Messrs. BAROW and FISCHER. |

And by GRANVILLE S. PRICE, 36, Collins-street West, Melbourne.
30th September, 1887.

THE AUSTRALASIAN TRUST MANAGEMENT, ASSURANCE, and INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited.
(Incorporated by Act of Parliament, 37 Vic., No. 10.)
Registered capital ... £1,000,000
Paid-up and Guarantee Reserve ... £33,000
Sir EDWARD STRICKLAND, K.C.B., Chairman. ARTHUR BLACKETT, Esq., F.I.A., Deputy-chairman.
THE BANKING DEPARTMENT.
HIGH RATES of interest for LONG TERM deposits.
BANK DEPOSIT RECEIPTS for Deposits of less than 12 months.
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Chief Offices: Corner of King and Elizabeth streets.

ANGLO-AUSTRALIAN INVESTMENT, FINANCE, and LAND COMPANY, Limited.

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| CAPITAL | £500,000 |
| SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL | £350,000 |
| RESERVE FUND | £25,000 |
| UNCALLED CAPITAL | £250,000 |

HEAD OFFICE: 24, HUNTER-STREET.
Directors: HENRY GORMAN, Esq., J.P., Chairman; F. A. WRIGHT, Esq., J.P., Vice-chairman; C. C. SKARRATT, Esq., J.P.; J. H. NEWMAN, Esq., J.P.; Hon. WM. CLARKE, M.P.; Hon. Dr. GARRAN, M.L.C.
Bankers: UNION BANK OF AUSTRALIA, Limited.
The Company is prepared to receive money on deposit to any amount at the following RATES OF INTEREST:
Deposits at call, without notice, 4 per cent. per annum.
Deposits at 6 months' notice, 5 per cent. per annum.
Deposits at 12 months' notice, 6 per cent. per annum.
CURRENT ACCOUNTS BEARING INTEREST.
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TO DEPOSITORS.
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A. R. KERR, Acting Manager.

THE AUSTRALIAN BANKING COMPANY, LIMITED.
HEAD OFFICE: CORNER of MARKET and YORK STREETS, SYDNEY.
INCORPORATED BY ACT OF EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.
CAPITAL, £500,000 STERLING.
RESERVE, £35,718 STERLING.
BOARD OF DIRECTORS: The Hon. Francis Abigail, M.L.A.; John Hurley, Esq., M.L.A.; J. P. Martin, Esq.; John Vaux, Esq.; J. H. Nathan, Esq.; John Scott, Esq.; Arnold Matley, Esq.
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DEPOSITS RECEIVED. INTEREST ALLOWED: At Call, 4 per cent.; 3 Months, 5 per cent.; 6 Months, 5 per cent.; 12 Months, 7 per cent.; with BONUS ADDITIONS to DEPOSITS of SIX and TWELVE MONTHS.
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By order of the Board of Directors, R. M'NAMARA, Manager.

THE FEDERAL BANK OF AUSTRALIA, Limited.
CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS.
Subscribed Capital ... £800,000
Paid-up Capital ... £400,000
Reserve Fund ... £50,000
DEPOSITS RECEIVED at INTEREST at current rates, for 3, 6, and 12 months.
All usual banking business transacted.
EBENEZER MACDONALD, Manager.

GUARDIAN FIRE AND LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON. Established 1821.
Sydney Office, Bond-street-chambers, Bond-street.
Subscribed Capital ... £2,000,000
Paid-up Capital ... 1,000,000
Invested Funds ... 3,000,000
Annual Income ... 800,000
S. MACDONNELL, Agent.

AUSTRALIAN MORTGAGE, LAND, AND FINANCE COMPANY, Limited.
Incorporated 1863.
CAPITAL, £4,000,000.
Head Office—13, Leadenhall-street, E.C., London. General Manager, E. M. Young. Colonial Offices—Melbourne, Geelong, and Sydney.
AUSTRALIAN BOARD. Sir James Martin, M.L.C., Chairman; John Russell Ross, Esq.; William Drysdale, Esq. (Inspector).
LOCAL BOARD OF ADVICE. James Sutherland Mitchell, Esq.; Hon. Henry Cary Dangar, M.L.C.
The Company makes ADVANCES on PASTORAL PROPERTIES, Station Bills, and receives Clip of Wool, and acts in the capacity of Squatting Bankers and Agents.
W. A. COTTEE, Local Manager.
1, Spring-street, Sydney.

THE SCOTTISH AUSTRALIAN INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited.
Established in 1840.
Registered and Incorporated 27th October, 1826.
Offices: Old Broad-street, London, and Phillip-street North, Sydney.
Capital, £1,500,000. Reserve Fund, £105,000.
DIRECTORS: FREDERICK PETERSON WARD, Esq., Chairman; Charles Gurdon Grainger, Esq.; Richard Brett Oxley, Esq.; James Shand, Esq.; George Thomas Bait, Esq.; George Smith, Esq.
OFFICERS OF THE COMPANY: ARCHIBALD SHANNON, Esq., Manager in Australia. HENRY FREDERICK CHILCOTT, Esq., Sub-Manager in Australia. FREDERICK WILLIAM TURNER, Esq., Secretary to the Company in London.
AGENTS IN QUEENSLAND: Messrs. R. D. MOREHEAD and CO., Brisbane.
This Company is prepared to make Advances on Mortgage of Freehold and Leasehold Estates, Stock, Station, and other Properties.

AUSTRALIAN GENERAL ASSURANCE COMPANY (MARINE). HEAD OFFICE: 97, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.
Established 1826.
Paid-up Capital ... £67,500
Reserve Fund ... £5,000
Board of Directors: CHARLES SMITH, Esq., Chairman; HENRY AUSTIN, Esq.; Hon. E. VICKERY, M.L.C.; JOHN GILCHRIST, Esq.; Hon. J. E. WATT, M.L.C.; Hon. JAMES WATSON, M.L.C.
MARINE RISKS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION ACCEPTED AT CURRENT RATES.
WOOL INSURED from time of shearing until reaching London.
HENRY T. FOX, Manager.

THE COLONIAL MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY, Limited.
OFFICES: 105, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.
DIRECTORS IN NEW SOUTH WALES: The Hon. Dr. J. F. BURNS, M.L.A., Chairman; JOHN R. STREET, Esq., M.L.A.; The Hon. Sir ROBERT WISDOM, K.C.M.G., M.L.C.; The Hon. Sir PATRICK A. JENNINGS, K.C.M.G.
POLICIES UNCONDITIONAL, UNCHALLENGEABLE, and INDEFEASIBLE.
Annual Income exceeds ... £250,000.
Accumulated Funds exceed ... £700,000.
New Business for the last year exceeded ... £1,300,000.
The fullest information will be furnished upon application to the Resident Secretary, 105, Pitt-street.

SYDNEY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, Limited.
Capital, £250,000, subscribed, £100,000.
DIRECTORS: Robert Butcher, Esq., J.P., Chairman; Patrick Ryan Larkin, Esq.; Edward Francis Flanagan, Esq.; William Hughes, Esq., J.P.; Edward Joseph Riddle, Esq., J.P.
POLICY HOLDERS participate in profits.
DAMAGE by LIGHTNING and GAS EXPLOSION COVERED.
Fire risks taken at lowest current rates.
Head Office—73, Elizabeth-street.
E. J. RUBIE, Managing Director.

THE UNITED MERCANTILE SOCIETY OF AUSTRALASIA, Limited.
Capital ... £50,000.
Directors: Henry S. Harden, Esq.; Beresford Hoey, Esq.; F. C. Trebeck, Esq.
Bankers: Bank of New Zealand. Commercial Banking Co., Limited.
Chief Offices: 279, George-street, Sydney.
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TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION, £5 5s per annum.
A. R. TOLHURST, Manager.

## Miscellaneous.

PURE PEBBLE SPECTACLES, 5s Pair, PAUSCOPIC SPECTACLES, 10s 6d Pair, FROST and SHIPHAM, 474, George-street (opposite Fruit Markets), and 357 (near Liverpool-street).

A VERY valuable and complete collection of ancient COINS for SALE; no reasonable offer refused; some over 2000 years old. TOST and ROHU, Taxidermists, Furriers, and Tanners, Curio Dealers, 60, William-street, Sydney.

ANOTHER FIRST PRIZE awarded Hogg's Empress BAKING POWDER at Adelaide. It has no equal.

EGGS FOR SALE.—First-class Black GAME and Black SPANISH, 15 for 5s, guaranteed 9 fertile; prize Brown Leghorn, 10s 6d; ditto Houdans, 15s; new-laid Eggs. 5, Charles-terrace, Denison-street, Waverley.

FOR SALE, SHAPING-MACHINE, 20in. bed, 10in. stroke, new, cheap. Dymock and Co., 250, Kent-st.

FIRE and burglar proof SAFE, 4ft. 6in., 2 doors, 2 drawers, for SALE. H. P. Thomson, Cowper-st., Waverley.

FOR SALE, GLASS CASE, 9ft. long. Mountfords, 4, Cooper-street, off Elizabeth-street.

EGGS for SETTING—Houdan, Silver Spangled Hamburgh, Brown Leghorn, Dark Brahma, Spanish, and Game. Guaranteed 10 out of 13. Also, 8 Game Cocks; also, 3 Spanish Hens and 1 Cock. Graham, Lyons-road, Five Dock.

CURIOS of all kinds Bought, Sold, or Exchanged, on hand; largest stock in Sydney. Tost and Rohu, 60, William-st.

## Stock, Shares, and Money.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF WEST BOTANY.
LOAN OF £10,000.
TENDERS are invited for a LOAN of £10,000 to the above municipality for a fixed term of TEN or FIFTEEN YEARS at the option of the Council; such loan, with interest thereon, to be secured upon the annual revenue, actual or prospective, arising and to arise from the general municipal rate of one shilling in the pound.
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By order of the Council. THOS. LEEDER, Council Clerk.
Council-chambers, Arncliffe, September 26, 1887.

THE HAYMARKET PERMANENT LAND, BUILDING, and INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited.
Offices—Corn Exchange, George-street, Haymarket.
CAPITAL ... £300,000
RESERVE FUND ... 20,000
RESERVES and UNDIVIDED PROFITS ... 80,000
The above Company is prepared to receive FIXED DEPOSITS at highest current rates.
CURRENT DEPOSITS, withdrawable without notice, received daily. Interest allowed on the daily balance.
TO BORROWERS:
The Company is prepared to advance on good freehold security, at moderate rates of interest.
Owners of ELIGIBLE BLOCKS of LAND, in good positions, suitable for subdivision are invited to send in particulars and prices to the undersigned.
J. W. DUESBURY, General Manager.

THE Advertiser, having a considerable Capital at his disposal, is prepared to make immediate CASH ADVANCES at an extremely LOW RATE OF INTEREST, on all descriptions of securities, without the necessity of a Bill of Sale or any publicity whatever.
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All communications strictly private.
Confidence, Box 793, General Post Office.

JOHN TAIT, JUN., STOCK and SHARE BROKER, FINANCE, PROPERTY, and GENERAL AGENT, 12, Castlereagh-street.

THE NEW SOUTH WALES MORTGAGE, LOAN, AND AGENCY COMPANY, Limited.
Capital, £1,000,000.
Directors: Sir HENRY BARKLY, K.C.B., G.C.M.G.; Lord GEORGE G. CAMPBELL; JOHN HENDERSON, Esq., J.P.; ALEX. LAWRIE, Esq.; J. RAMSAY L'AMY, Esq., F.R.S.E.; ALEXANDER M'ARTHUR, Esq., M.P.
Local Directors: Hon. J. B. WATT, M.L.C.; C. ROLLESTON, Esq., C.M.G.; D. ADAMS, Esq.; GEORGE MUNRO, Esq.; W. K. WILSON, Esq.
Solicitors: Messrs. ALLEN and ALLEN.
This Company advances on Freehold and Leasehold Estates, Stock, Station, and other properties.
Full particulars and forms of application can be obtained by applying to the Company.
Offices—7, Bent-street, Sydney.

THE NATIONAL BUILDING, LAND, AND INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited.
295, PITT-STREET.
Authorised Capital ... £200,000
Paid up Capital ... 20,000
Held on Deposit ... 25,000
Reserve Fund ... 16,500
DIRECTORS: W. H. HENTSCH; Hon. H. E. COHEN; L. F. HEYDON; F. A. WRIGHT; JOHN BROOMFIELD; HY. CHAPMAN.
Advances made on Freehold Security only.
NO APPLICATION FEES.
The Funds of this Company being invested on FIRST MORTGAGES OF FREEHOLD PROPERTIES and in Suburban Lands, carefully selected, NO BETTER SECURITY can be offered to Depositors.
RATES FOR MONEYS ON DEPOSIT.
12 Months ... 6 per cent.
At Call ... 5 per cent. per annum.
Savings' Bank, in which small sums may be deposited and interest allowed on daily balance.
JAMES A. TODD, Manager.

NEW SOUTH WALES INVESTMENT, LAND, AND BUILDING COMPANY, Limited.
Head Office—300, Bathurst-street, Sydney.
CAPITAL, £500,000, in 500,000 SHARES of £1 EACH.
DIRECTORS: F. E. Rogers, Esq.; W. Creagh, Esq.; W. B. Cole, Esq.; Chas. Jetson, Esq., J.P.; J. Cutler, Esq.; T. G. Redmond, Esq.
DEPOSITS RECEIVED at the following RATES of INTEREST:—
Twelve months ... 7 1/2 per cent. | Participating in
Six months ... 7 per cent. | Profits.
Interest at the rate of 5 per cent. on the daily balances allowed on current accounts.
DEPOSIT BANK and OFFICES, in addition to ordinary office hours, are open SATURDAYS and MONDAYS from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.
Share List still open, and Shares issued daily.
The Company have for Private Sale a few Allotments in the splendid subdivision of Park View Estate, Alexandria, and Viner's Estate, Burwood. Also, the other splendid subdivision, River View Estate, Mortlake, which is the most profitable land in the market for investors. Plans and particulars at the offices.
J. W. SMYTHE, Secretary.

THE MERCANTILE, FINANCE, and DEPOSITORS' COMPANY, Limited.
The Company advances on securities of all kinds, discounts bills, and does all finance business.
Highest rates given for fixed deposits.
Prospectus may be seen, and shares obtained on application to
F. W. MIDDLETON, Managing Director, 82, Castlereagh-street.

IMPERIAL LAND, BUILDING, AND DEPOSIT COMPANY, Limited.
HEAD OFFICE—HOFFNUNG'S-BUILDINGS, 171, PITT-STREET (late Commercial Bank of Australia).
Capital, £100,000, in 100,000 Shares of £1 each.
W. GRAHAM CAMERON, Esq., Chairman.
OBJECTS OF THE COMPANY.
To make advances for long or short periods on freehold properties, to receive money on deposit, and to transact all usual banking and building society business.
TO BORROWERS.
Advances from £100 and to any amount on freehold securities at lowest rates and on the shortest notice.
REPAYABLE in 3 or 5 years, or by THE COMPANY'S LIBERAL INSTALMENTS, 4s PER WEEK FOR EACH £100.
Overdrafts granted against deposit of deeds.
Current accounts opened and interest allowed on daily balance operated upon by cheque-book.
Deposits received and interest allowed.
Deposit at call, without notice ... 4 per cent.
Deposit at 3 months ... 5 1/2 per cent.
Deposit at 6 months ... 6 per cent.
Special rates for large sums and longer periods.
A fresh issue of 20,000 shares having been authorised by the Board, applications may be made to the undersigned, from whom forms and all information may be obtained, payable, 1s on application, 1s on allotment, and balance in calls of not more than 1s and at intervals of not less than 1 month.
For the convenience of those who are unable to attend during the day, the offices will be open on Monday and Saturday evenings from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.
WILLIAM P. SMAIRL, Manager.

SYDNEY AND SUBURBAN MUTUAL PERMANENT BUILDING AND LAND INVESTMENT ASSOCIATION, Limited.
Office: Minerva-chambers, 126, Pitt-street (opposite Hoffnung's).
Authorised Capital ... £100,000
Paid-up Capital ... 25,000
Reserve Fund ... 17,500
DIRECTORS: W. S. BUZACOTT, Esq., J.P., Chairman; J. THOMPSON, Esq., J.P., Vice-Chairman; JOHN CALLAGHAN, Esq., J.P.; JAMES WARD, Esq.; DAVID MACKEY, Esq., J.P.; THOMAS DAVIS, Esq.
RATES OF INTEREST. Deposits at call, without notice, 5 per cent. Deposits at 6 months, 6 per cent.
Advances to Borrowers at current rates.
S. H. LEWIS, Manager.

VICTORIAN LOAN and DISCOUNT COMPANY, 721, George-street, Haymarket (next Mercantile Bank). Advances on Bills of Sale, P. Ns., Deeds, and any security. Low interest. Easy repayments. No delay. Strict privacy. Bills discounted daily. DOUGLAS ALLEYNE, Manager. Hours, 9 to 6 p.m. Saturdays and Mondays, 6 to 9 p.m.

MONEY to LEND on personal or other security. Box 1083.

OFFERS invited for 100 N. Illawarra Coal Shares, pd 14s each, promising line. HY. FRENCH, 87, Oxford-st.

MERCANTILE BUILDING, LAND, AND INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited, AND SAVINGS BANK.
[illegible] Office: Park and Castlereagh streets, Sydney.
Capital, £100,000. Reserve Fund, £33,000.
[illegible] RATES of INTEREST for DEPOSITS. ... months ... 7 per cent.; ... 6 per cent.; withdrawable any time ... 5 per cent.
[illegible] No better evidence can be given to prove the [illegible] of the public in this Company.
NEW ISSUE OF SHARES.
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ASSETS of the Company at 30th June, 1887: £255,219 2s 8d.
RESERVE FUND, £33,000.
APPLICATIONS for NEW SHARES received daily.
EDWIN J. C. BRYANT, General Manager.

TOWN AND COUNTRY LAND, BUILDING, and INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited.
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## ENGLISH GOSSIP.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Aug. 18.

The gay world is on its travels. Some stragglers from the tents of Vanity Fair still remain in town. These and others of Her Majesty's subjects are rejoicing in the first heavy downpour of rain which has been experienced in these latitudes for many weeks. Except in one outlying district, there has been no shortness of water in the metropolis, but in many parts of the country the drought has been very serious, and it is believed to have started many great fires which have been destructive to buildings, as well as to crops and forest trees. The destruction of Whiteley's famous house of business in Westbourne Grove, a populous neighbourhood near Hyde Park, is believed to have been the work of an incendiary. It is the fifth fire Mr. Whiteley, who calls himself "the Universal Provider," has had to encounter. On the two last occasions he was not insured, the offices considering his risk exceptional. His fourth fire entailed a loss of over £300,000, and the one which has just occurred will not be repaired under a cost of £500,000. Mr. Whiteley's place is one of universal business. There is hardly a trade that is not represented on his premises, and his prices as a rule are more moderate than those of other tradesmen. For these reasons he is very unpopular among the smaller tradesmen, and he is said to have many active enemies among persons whose businesses have been ruined by the competition which the Universal Provider has set up. It is suggested that his fires are the result of a conspiracy among those people. On the other hand, it is said "there is a woman in the case." Mr. Whiteley himself has no doubt upon the question of incendiarism, and it is reported that very positive evidence has been obtained in support of his views. Several persons were killed during the fire, some being crushed, others burned. Whiteley's is the largest concern of the kind in the world. The Magasin du Louvre in Paris, an imitation of it, is inferior in every way, and I have seen nothing in America to equal it. The premises will be rebuilt as quickly as possible. It is believed that Whiteley has in the concern several powerful capitalists on the limited partnership principle, including one of the Rothschilds and Mr. Labouchere.

The Queen goes to Balmoral on the 24th. Scotland has had several days of heavy rain. The grouse are plentiful. This does not seem to reduce the price of the birds in the London market, where they are selling at from 9s. to 12s. a brace. The Duchess of Albany leaves to-day for Holland. She is going to visit her sister the Queen of the Netherlands, at the chateau of Soestdijk, near Utrecht, where the King and Queen are now sojourning. Utrecht is a quaint, pretty little city. I spent some time there a few years ago. You can see almost all Holland from the church tower, where the authorities have allowed a telescope to be fixed for the use of visitors. It is hardly an exaggeration to say that on a fine day you can see all the King's interesting dominions through this telescope. The Crown Prince of Germany is still in this country. He left Buckingham Palace last week for Scotland, Dr. Morell Mackenzie having ordered him bracing air. He is much better both in his general health and as regards the affection of the throat which at one time was regarded with the gravest apprehensions. All who have met the Prince speak in the most enthusiastic terms of his frank, kindly manner. He was the people's favourite throughout the jubilee festivities. He will remain in Scotland until the first week in September, when he goes to Potsdam to see his aged father, who proposes at about that time to go to Königsberg. The court physicians at Berlin are not in very high favour just now. They would have permitted an operation to be performed upon the Crown Prince which would have made him a dumb man for the rest of his life. The Emperor would not give his consent until the English expert Mackenzie had been consulted, with what result is well known. His Imperial Majesty has obtained a new lease of life from his stay at Gastein, although his physicians almost prohibited the journey thither, as calculated to lead to the most complicated and serious consequences. The Emperor has sent a wonderful Jubilee gift to the Pope—a mitre studded with precious stones. By the way, the Pope's life, "from an authentic memoir furnished by his order," is just published in England. It is a superb-looking volume. The political chapters are being much discussed, more particularly those which refer to the Papal policy as regards France and Ireland. It is curious to read a denunciation of Eugene Sue, Alexandre Dumas, Balzac, and George Sand, when it is remembered that a former Pontiff proposed to decorate Paul de Cock.

But even Paul de Cock never wrote more prurient pages than Walt Whitman. Perhaps it is because Whitman is impossible as a "poet" among decent people that the *Pall Mall* has taken him up and been the chief medium of the support which the "Walt Whitman Society" is receiving on this side of the Atlantic. In commencing their scheme of a subscription for Whitman, which shall make him independent for the remainder of his life, the promoters wisely speak only of his volume *Specimen American Days*. They leave it to the *Pall Mall* to gush over his *Leaves of Grass*, which you will remember was, and is, a prohibited book in the enlightened state of Massachusetts. Whitman's prose volume is not without merit; it deserves to rank high among American literature; but the "Leaves of Grass" is full of obscenity, and teems with affectations and literary eccentricities. For a time Swinburne was captured by the sensuous and animal virility of the old man, but latterly the English poet has "rounded" upon the bronzer of blades of grass. I met Whitman a year or two ago in America. He was living in a very humble way, seemed to be a modest, kindly man, was picturesque in appearance, a trifle like Lord Tennyson, but without the Laureate's fine masculine presence and strong, intellectual forehead. He is tall, wears his hair long, and is fond of sitting in the sun at his cottage door. I don't think he quite appreciates or understands how nasty and coarse are some of his forced and sensual similes in *Blades of Grass*. Some years ago Mr. Swinburne was equally oblivious, or if not, was a critical approver and admirer of the American poet's work. But Swinburne himself has become more cleanly in his subjects than was his wont, and his similes are less offensive than of yore. It is natural, perhaps, that he should now view Whitman with less kindly eyes than when he was working in a similar line of country. At the same time it is rather late in the day for Swinburne to discover that his American contemporary is "unhealthily demonstrative," "obtrusively animal," that his Eve is "a drunken apple-woman," and his Venus "a Hottentot wench under the influence of adulterated rum."

The professed admirers of Walt Whitman are fond of alluding to him as a lover of nature; but we have just lost in England not only a lover of nature but a true interpreter and recorder of all that is lovely and true and pure and beautiful in nature, and whose works, while they abound with prose and poetry of a far higher order than Whitman's, contain neither word nor thought that is not in keeping with the pastoral sweetness of an ideal rural life. Poor Richard Jefferies, author of "The Gamekeeper at Home," "Hodge and his Master," "Amaryllis at the Fair," "Round about a Great Estate," "Wild Life in a Southern County," and many other delightful books, lies dead at his cottage near Goring, on the Thames. During the last six years he had been afflicted with a wasting disease, and his latest books were dictated to his wife. He leaves his widow and two children unprovided for. Here is a case for kindly aid, without going so far afield as America. Some critics speak of Jefferies as a modern White of Selbourne, but those who know the country well regard Jefferies as a more exact observer. His writings are very picturesque studies of natural history, remarkable photographs of country life, true to every season; and in future ages they will be regarded as the most complete and reliable illustrations of the influence of education, steam, gas, and electricity on the men and manners of rural England.

There is evidence of more than usual activity in the literary world in view of the coming season. Macmillans will publish Alfred Austin's new satirical poem "Lucifer" in October. They have also in the press four plays by Calderon, with introductory notes from the pen of Mr. Norman MacColl, editor of *The Athenæum*. Mr. Pollock, editor of *The Saturday Review*, is also making his appearance as an author, but Mr. Pollock confines himself to translations. He has already made his début as a dramatic adaptor from the French, and he is one of the *collaborateurs* in the new play which is being arranged for Mr. Beerbohm Tree. Messrs. Ward and Downey are a busy and enterprising firm. They have this week issued a cheaper edition of Stepniak's "Russia under the Tzars," translated by William Westall. "The Personal Recollections of the Duc de Broglie," "The Memoirs of an Arabian Princess," and the "Emperor William: the Study of a Great King and a Good Man," are among their leading announcements for the season. When Miss Olive Schreiner brings out her new novel—she is the author of "The Story of a South African Farm"—it will be the pioneer of a new method of publishing, the royalty fees being checked and controlled by a system of stamps invented by an American. Occult science is becoming once more the rage—if not in fact, certainly in literature. Mr. S. L. Mathers has translated the "Kabbala Denudata," which he will publish under the title of "The Kabbala Unveiled;" Madame Blavatsky's "Isis Unveiled" has no doubt given Mr. Mathers his cue. During the autumn, the first number of "Lucifer: A Theosophical Monthly," edited by Madame Blavatsky and Miss Mabel Collins, will be published by Redway, who has also in hand "The Real History of the Rosicrucians." The absurdity of any man being another's guide as to the reading of books is evidently not fully appreciated by the public, or we should not have the farce of "What to read" so frequently repeated as it is. *The World* is now recommending books for holiday reading, and some other paper has asked certain prominent men what books have influenced their work and actions. Nothing could be more awful than to set up a stereotyped system of selecting one's reading upon the opinions of this great man or the other. The promiscuous reader is the well-read man. One of the most entertaining and instructive books of travel is "Paddy at Home," by the Baron E. de Mandat-Grancey, translated by A. P. Morton, and published by Chapman and Hall. It is full of racy anecdote and shrewd observation. It is not likely to be very popular with the friends of Mr. Parnell, but it is nevertheless an honest book, and it is always interesting to see ourselves as foreigners see us.

The Duke of Cambridge is not an unpopular man either with the regular army or the volunteers. At the same time he is not regarded as heroic. There was always an uncomfortable mystery about his sudden return from the Crimea, the truth of which posterity will no doubt learn when the full history of the war comes to be told. But his Grace is an amiable person, a stickler for discipline, and a hard worker; hence he is respected by the services. But if it is true that he is allowing territorial considerations to influence him in changing the scene of the annual rifle meeting from Wimbledon to quarters more remote from town, he will hear a good deal of criticism which he will not like. He owns a considerable amount of property round about Wimbledon it is said, and the annual shooting match stands in the way of its development. He is at all events the head and front of the proposal to move the camp, and *Punch* hits his Grace very hard this week, in a semi-cartoon by Linley Sambourne. It represents the Duke putting up a signboard, upon which is written "This eligible land to be let or sold for building." A rifleman is in the act of taking aim at a distant target. The Duke with his signpost says to him, "Now, my lad, sorry to inconvenience you, but, hem-ha, you must really go—somewhere else." This is the text of a ballad to the tune of the British Grenadiers, the first verse of which gives the key to the rest:—

"Some grain of patriotism, and some of cheap defence,
But in the high official mind that's all absurd pretence,
For of all the joys of snubbing, there's none it is so dear
As to snub, snub, snub, snub, snub, the British Volunteer."

It is rather hard to contemplate the possible breaking up of the Wimbledon Camp under any circumstances. Not only is it a British institution in its present quarters, but it is a Colonial, Indian, and even an American institution. The last meeting was the most successful on record as regards shooting, and never has London seemed to regard the meeting as so thoroughly the occasion for pleasant and patriotic holiday-making. It will go hard with the popularity of the Duke of Cambridge if he allows any personal pecuniary benefits to influence his action in the removal of the volunteer carnival from Wimbledon.

The theatres appear to be mostly in the hands of ladies. Miss Hawthorne at the Princess's has achieved quite a fair amount of success with "Shadows of a Great City," an American play of the transpontine order, with little merit of any kind, except in regard to one which the public likes—namely, the directness of its villainy, and the utter and complete punishment of the vice which that villainy develops. Mrs. Brown Potter has not retrieved her position either as an actress or a manageress in the new play of "Loyal Love." The minor royalties are true to the Prince of Wales, who has taken so much little interest in the lady. They go to see her, as do the Prince's set, but the public keep away. It is rather a mistake for royalty to think it can force public opinion in the matter of theatre-going. A good show needs no royal patronage to make it popular, and all the royal favour in the world will not bolster up a bad one. I am inclined to think Mrs. Potter would have done better had she been left to her own resources. It was an error of judgment to make a star of her. This was the mistake of the Haymarket management—a mistake for which they paid dearly. The theatre has been closed ever since it had to withdraw the play of "Man and Wife." Mrs. Potter is pretty, has a pleasant voice, is not without intelligence, and with experience may make an excellent actress. It is said that she has "booked" some fine engagements in the States, and that it is certain she will make money on her return. As this is the head and the end all of her going upon the stage she may achieve her object after all. She has certainly tackled her work with much courage, and all who have met her in business speak in highest terms of her graciousness. It is rather hard therefore to have it said by certain American correspondents that the English ladies and gentlemen who acted with her did not do their best, but rather lent themselves to the malicious work of assisting her to fail. Several of the London critics say she has much improved in her methods and style; but when an actress appeals to London as a star she should be sure that she can "fill the bill." Miss Anderson is clearing the Lyceum decks for "The Winter's Tale," in which she is said to have scored heavily in the provinces. The American beauty has fully decided to become a naturalized British subject. This fact is mentioned with congratulatory comments by newspaper gossips while recording Mrs. Langtry's disaffection. But Mrs. Langtry's attempts to become a naturalized American are influenced by her desire to obtain a divorce from Mr. Langtry, in which she will find much difficulty, it is said, since Mr. Langtry is likely to oppose her naturalisation scheme and its possibilities. On the other hand, Miss Anderson has no ulterior purpose to serve. She admires England, loves its institutions, finds it a more congenial home than America, desires to pass her days in an art atmosphere, and to go down to posterity as an English actress. Dr. Griffin, her father-in-law and manager, says she will, nevertheless, not altogether forsake America, through which country she will make at least another tour. One can quite understand Miss Anderson's delight with England. Until she came here she knew nothing of artistic society; and, moreover, some of the best people in the land have petted and made much of her. The public have also thronged her performances. Not that she is regarded as a great actress, but she is a lovely woman, is as good as she is beautiful, and is a very earnest student of her art. Miss Lydia Thompson has taken the Strand. Miss Agnes Hewitt is installed at the Olympic, and has surrounded herself with a first-rate company. Mr. Willard, the most promising actor of the day, is to be her leading man. They appear shortly in a new play by the authors of "The Great Pink Pearl," a piece which did not meet with the success it deserved in London, though it was perhaps handicapped by the dull off-season when it was produced. The new play is to be called "The Pointsman," and Willard in the title rôle is said to be provided with a strong new part. Mr. Wilson Barrett has returned to town, but he is still without a theatre. It is thought he will be able to get his old house back again on enhanced terms. His American tour has not, it seems, done much for him either in regard to fame or fortune. If he will stick to high-class melodrama he can soon retrieve his position. He is a clever actor and an artistic stage manager. The old Court Theatre is down, and the new one is going up. A subway from the underground railway will be a feature of the new house. Mr. and Mrs. Kendall have decided, after all, not to make a tour in America. Mr. Terriss will go the States with "The Bells of Haslemere." Mr. Cellier has gone, or is going, to Australia to superintend the production of one of his operas at Auckland. He is a capable musician and a popular composer of tuneful melodies. A friend of Sir Arthur Sullivan, Cellier assisted that famous author in the preparation of his scores for most of the successful productions at the Opera Comique and Savoy. He was associated with the opening of the former house, when first the Gilbert and Sullivan operas were taken earnestly in hand. The trio of Savoy men, Carte, Gilbert, and Sullivan, have each made an enormous fortune out of the Sullivan work. Mr. Gilbert's ballads gave the librettist his dramatic ideas, and in Sullivan he found a composer who discovered a kind of musical humour that was sympathetic in the direction of Gilbert's quaint conceits. If these gentlemen have made money by their really artistic dramatic work, there is in some minds a set-off as showing the want of genuine public taste in the fact that Paul Merritt, Mr. Pettitt, and the other blood-and-thunder dramatists have also made fortunes out of such pieces as "The Crimes of Paris," "Humanity," "In the Ranks," "Lights of London," and kindred pieces. At the same time it must not be forgotten that in these commonplace works there have always been the attractions of good scenery, and, in some cases, sensational incidents not to be despised, besides a sentiment of fair play, which is one worth maintaining. I remember one of those plays in which there is a very admirable acting scene—it is in "The World," where the mother is parting from her son. Mrs. Billington played the mother when I saw the drama. She is one of our best actresses of strong matronly and emotional parts. On the whole, the coming theatrical season promises to be interesting, though our chief shining lights, Mr. Irving and Miss Terry, will be posting with "Faust" in America.

## *EXPENDITURE ON NATIONAL AND LOCAL WORKS.*

The document relating to the above subject, which was laid upon the table of the Legislative Assembly by the Colonial Secretary on Wednesday evening, throws valuable light on a much debated question. Country electioneering bristles with the roundest charges against Governments in general of favouring the city at the expense of the country. Even the retiring member who has made the loudest boasts of "road and bridge" achievements has been unwilling to forego this favourite spice for country speeches, and has made it appear that the good things he had secured were in spite of a centralising system; and, in fact, the pure result of his own diligence and overwhelming influence.

Now this interesting little parcel of figures has been compiled and struck off to show that the theory about the city getting the lion's share of public works expenditure is largely a matter of country candidates' imagination. Probably we have to thank the representatives of the Northern districts for the light we have thus secured; and in acknowledging this the fact must not be overlooked that those would-be disintegrators of our snugly planned territory are not by any means appreciative. In fact, they resent the cleverness of the Premier in fortifying himself with such a document before venturing amongst them. They had laid aside their weapons of warfare for the moment to join with the most ardent anti-separationists in giving the Premier a welcome. If, all the while, they cherished a hope of working upon his sympathies, and so more effectually securing his conversion to their views, their disappointment must have been all the greater when he so adroitly turned the tables upon them. They had been nursing their grievance of being behind the door when the public moneys were distributed; and he told them, in effect, that they had been getting far more than their share. What was more, he insisted that there could be no mistake about it, for the comparison extended over the ample space of 27 years, and the figures had been taken from the public records by the Government Statistician, an authority whose impartiality ought to be above all suspicion.

Since the people of the New England districts—including New England, Glen Innes, Inverell, Tamworth, and Tenterfield—have carried the question of metropolis versus country further than any other section of the community, the figures relating to their districts may be first looked at. For purely local works, New England, with a population of 53,395, received last year £56,459; while the metropolis, with a population of 332,700, received £767,906. For the whole 27 years covered by this document the New England district received for local works £849,475, and the amount expended in the metropolis for similar purposes was only £5,198,654.

Had the figures for expenditure on national works not been also given there might have been room for some suspicion that the foregoing figures were unreliable on the ground of the greater part of metropolitan expenditure being placed under the broader category. But the figures for national expenditure are also supplied by this document, and they afford the completest refutation of any such suspicion. During the 27 years the expenditure on national works in the New England district has reached the enormous total of £3,434,745 as against an expenditure of £4,009,204 in the metropolis.

When the expenditure in the metropolis is compared with that throughout the whole of the country districts, the old complaint of inequitable distribution is still more effectually answered. The expenditure of public money on local works throughout the country has risen from £65,861, or 5s. 4d. per head of the population in 1860 to £806,922, or £1 6s. 4d. per head, in 1886. The amount expended for local works in the metropolis has risen from £21,240, or 6s. 5d. per head of the population in 1860, to £767,906, or £2 7s. 6d. per head last year. It ought to be noted, however, that last year's expenditure was not the highest either in the country or the metropolis. The country expenditure under this head was greater in 1885, when it amounted to £861,351, or £1 11s. 0d. per head. The metropolitan expenditure was highest in 1883, when it reached the large sum of £931,015, or £3 12s. per head.

Under the head of national works the expenditure in country districts has increased from £317,326, or £1 5s. 8d. per head, in 1860, to £1,908,152, or £2 19s. 1d. per head, in 1886. The metropolitan expenditure under the same head has risen from £29,604, or 5s. per head, in 1860, to £351,602, or £1 12s. 11d. per head, last year. The highest rate in relation to population was reached by the country expenditure in 1884, when it was £2,847,492, or £3 18s. per head; whilst in the metropolis the rate was slightly higher in 1885, though last year's expenditure was the highest in amount ever reached.

It should also be noted, in justice to the metropolitan side of the comparison in the matter of local expenditure, that the water supply, sewerage works, and tramways are included under the category of local works.

So long as this document is only used to set the people of the country districts right in the matter of alleged grievances against the city its revelations are full of interest. That the Premier does not mean to use it as an excuse for delaying legislation for local government or "decentralisation" is partly guaranteed by the introduction of his long-promised bill. The expenditure on public works has not been, it appears, so unevenly distributed as many people imagined; but it is impossible to avoid the conclusion that this is the result rather of good luck than of good guiding. The system of distribution, if system it can be called, has been full of haphazard. Each appropriation has depended very directly on the previous question as to what Government happened to be in power, what side of the House the member asking it sat upon, and how far he could reckon on the votes of fellow-members who might require his vote in return. But the changes of Government have been so frequent, and members too have been so accommodating in their political views, that every electorate has been sure of getting its day of favour. So that, given a fairly long period—and 27 years is surely long enough—and even the most haphazard of log rolling, road and bridge administration will result in something like an equitable partition of the spoils. But for all that, and this interesting document added, the sooner a local government or decentralising Act establishes a more rational system, the better it will be for city and country alike.

LAWSON HUDSON'S CASE.—I wish to inform you, and through you all who are interested to know the fact, that a most disagreeable and obstinate case of salt-rheum or eczema, which has been under my personal observation from its first appearance to the present time—about ten (10) years—covering the greater portion of the patient's body and limbs with its peculiar irritating and itching scab, and to which all the known methods of treating such disease had been applied without benefit, has completely disappeared, leaving a clean and healthy skin under a profuse application of the Cuticura Remedies. I can and do heartily advise all similarly afflicted to try the Remedy which has been so effectual in this case.—Chas. Houghton, Law Office, 28, State-street, Boston.—[ADVT.]

## *AT THE BONDI AQUARIUM.*

BY VIATOR.

Forty minutes in the tram brings one to the terminus at Bondi, and 10 minutes more, over a road at present not provocative of piety to the pedestrian troubled with those obtrusive callosities, known in the people's dictionary as corns, is sufficient to reach the aquarium at Bondi. The aquarium occupies the seaward half of Fletcher's Glen, a lovely and romantic little valley, somewhat to the right of Bondi Beach. The grounds include the pretty little beach of white sand at the extremity of the glen, upon which the blue, white-crested waves of the mighty Pacific dash themselves unceasingly in peace or wrath, as the will of the wind dictates. The spot is one extremely appropriate for an aquarium, on account of its marine surroundings and natural picturesqueness, and is so close to the sea that if fish are gifted with the sense of hearing—a question upon which there appears to be opinions of a diametrically opposite nature—the finny captives at the aquarium can enjoy whatever pleasure lies in listening to the song of the waters whose broad dominions were once their home. A great deal of taste has been displayed in utilising the natural graces of the glen, and the attractions, beside those of the aquarium proper, are numerous enough. From various heights on the ground a magnificent view of the ocean can be obtained, and the many quaintly-built summer houses dotting the glen afford comfortable lolling places, in which to enjoy the superb panorama which any summer's day can summon up, with the ever present aids of coast and clouds, and sea and sky.

A cool sound of gushing fountains, which is pleasantly refreshing after the heat of the sun, greets the visitor as he walks into the compartments, in which the fish may be viewed swimming complacently behind broad sheets of glass. Probably the origin of the aquarium lies in that habit of the ancients, in particular so extensively practised among the Romans, of preserving certain exquisite fish in ponds for the purpose of supplying their tables at any moment with fish fresh from the water. In such places, doubtless, they kept that lovely fish which they allowed to die upon the table at their repast, the spectacle of its opalescent changes in its last struggles in some subtle manner, known only to the palate of the Roman epicurean, furnishing a zest to the appetite with which it was afterwards devoured.

Be this as it may, however, no one will care to dispute the usefulness of an aquarium as a means of imparting lessons in natural history with a completeness and pleasantness not to be found in the pages of books. It is not from books that we learn best and most. An hour's stroll through an aquarium, with an authority upon the habits and conformation of its finny inhabitants, would do more to open the eyes of a schoolboy than many weary hours spent over the most lucidly written book upon the same fishes. Those who have been accustomed to pursue the favourite pastime of good old Izaac Walton in the waters of Sydney harbour will recognise old acquaintances in nearly every one of the tenants of the aquarium. What boy is there who will not recognise in that little fish there the ubiquitous "yellow-tail," whose capture with a cotton thread and a bent pin forms one of the earliest stages in the fishing experiences of Sydney natives, to be afterwards known in maturer days as an excellent bait for almost all kinds of fish. Many of those who have caught it in the harbour, in size no larger than a sardine do not know that it boldly ventures into the open sea, and there attains the length of two feet! In the case containing these fish may be seen a solitary prawn, returning the gaze of the spectators with an aspect of deep meditation, indicative of interior thought profound enough to put to shame the deepest mental plunges of Plato or Kant. To discover the cogitations agitating the brain of that prawn would far surpass anything that the ingenuity of man ever compassed. To divine the thoughts of those who were gazing outside would not be so difficult a matter, though one happily beyond the comprehension of the prawn. They were probably thinking of him—boiled.

In another case is contained, among other common enough fish, such as the tailor, whiting, and mullet—not the sea-mullet, but the smaller species which inhabits our harbours and the brackish waters of our various rivers—several lobsters which were crawling over the bottom of the cage, and the rocks at the rear, with a slow motion reminding one altogether of some immense marine spider. It was rather amusing to watch the consternation the approach of these crustaceans caused the other fish, the first intimation the latter often receiving of their advance being a thrust from one of the long prongs of the lobster, which appeared sufficient to put the dismayed fish to sudden and ignominious flight. There appeared to be something tellingly wrong with several of the fishes in this cage. On inquiry, this turned out to be correct. They were dead. There seems to be an altogether unwarrantable number of catfish in the aquarium. Almost every cage contains three or four of these repulsive-looking creatures. They possess poisonous spines, and have an evil reputation, which their looks fully justify. Some years ago a blackfellow, who formed one of a fishing party in the harbour, was unlucky enough to be wounded by one of these fish, and lost his hand through it. They are speckled with dirty brown spots on a dull yellow ground, shaped like an eel in the body, with a flattish head, having an ugly-like king cirrus hanging from it. They are not pleasant fish to look at, and are never eaten in Sydney, although they are pronounced on good authority to be of excellent flavour. There are various species of rays in the different cases, including the sting-ray, or, as it is more frequently called, the stingaree. This fish, quietly as it rests on the floor of its aqueous prison, is in the possession of a strong serrated spine, with which it can inflict an ugly and dangerous wound. One of the most curious fish to be seen here is the grotesque-looking porcupine-fish, which is almost cubical in shape, having large globular eyes, and a surface stuck full of spiny points—a circumstance from which it doubtless takes its name. This is also a poisonous fish. Through the murky waters a little fish is swimming in a very independent manner. It is flat, with several prominent pectoral and dorsal fins, and marked perpendicularly with three black stripes. This is the "old wife," a very well-known fish in our waters. How it got its curious name is a mystery, as there is nothing in its aspect to indicate any resemblance to a wife, young or old. Probably the fishermen who named it detected some characteristic which escapes the ordinary observer. It is always well to trust to the accuracy of folk-lore in such matters. Fishermen have greater opportunities of studying the habits of fish than the general public, and their fish nomenclature generally indicates some marked characteristic of the fish. For instance, that dark-blue, solid-looking fish is called the blue groper, from its habit of skirting the rocks at flood tide in search of the molluscs which form its food, and for crushing the shells of which its powerful head and teeth are well adapted. At low water it retires to its rocky retreats. Epicures pronounce this fish excellent eating, the head and shoulders, properly boiled and sauced, being pronounced the equal in delicacy of flavour of the "princely turbot." A few bream are present, but no schnapper. Doubtless this king of the fishes of the Australian seas will not long be absent, as without it any fish collection would be incomplete.

In one of the cages, lying on the floor, is a dull flat fish of 3ft. or 4ft. in length, with a skin patterned somewhat like a carpet. This is a very formidable shark, known as the wobbegong—one of the full-vowelled appellations of the aboriginals. It is the pleasant habit of this monster to lie under overhanging rocks and among weeds, from which it can hardly be distinguished in colour, and to seize upon any prey, human or otherwise, which is unlucky enough to come within its reach. However, it is harmless enough in its Bondi prison. Perhaps the most interesting and amusing of all the inhabitants of the aquarium are the seals. The greatest number of people were attracted by these silly-looking creatures, whose strange cries and queer preposterous locomotion always seem to "bring down the house." A solitary penguin shares the pond with them, and dark stories have been circulated that this solitary bird is the sole survivor of a numerous family which once existed in the aquarium, but which all fell victims to the gluttonous instincts of the seals; but, judging from the general innocence of their aspect, the rumour cannot be accepted as anything else but a calumny.

Such are some of the things which may be seen in any afternoon's stroll through the aquarium. Doubtless, within a short time the number and variety of its inhabitants will be increased. As it is, the lover of nature will find much to interest him in its sights.

## *THE ARTILLERY BAND IN THE GARDENS.*

BY VAURIEN.

In the immediate neighbourhood of a great New South Wales city of almost a third of a million of people—artfulness alone prevents my naming it—there are public gardens fit for the metropolis of an empire. Man has done a good deal to beautify them; nature ever so much more. This old dame can be very stingy and even cruel at times. She does not hesitate to keep some lands well supplied with bleak winds and leaden skies almost all the year round. On others she bestows a merciless sun and wide hot, inhospitable wastes. But, like many capricious ladies, she can be generous occasionally. In an unusually generous mood must she have been when dowering the gardens referred to. All that glad sunshine, dancing waters, and pleasant winds—all that cloud and hill, variegated aspect and broken sky-line, could do to make men forget, if only for a few hours, the curse dooming them to earn their bread by sweat was done with no niggard hand. In the city whose name has been so cunningly concealed there is a military band of 22 performers, and once a week these artists assemble in smart uniforms to assist meditation with melody—to afford citizens and strangers alike an opportunity for forgetting their work or their wanderings in harkening to the tuneful songs without words that gifted men at the other side of the world transferred to paper by means of dots and lines, jocund semi-quaver and grave, dignified semi-breve. In old lands over the sea, where soldiers are as common as kangaroos in this Australia of ours, whenever a marching regiment halts for a day's rest, and the white or blue coated bandsmen assemble in market-square or park to give the citizens a treat, young and old, gentle and simple, grey-haired men and women, as well as toddling infants, crowd to listen. Not to go beyond the United Kingdom, the news that the band of the artillery, of the marines, of a corps of Guards, or even of a line regiment on the move, is told off for an afternoon performance, *cœrum populo*, brings a large portion of the population out of doors. But, in our Australian city of three hundred and odd thousand, in the lovely gardens where sun and shade, and sea breeze, and velvet lawn, invite dalliance, a few hundred people are all that Balfe's tender warblings, or the fine harmonies of Meyerbeer, can bring together. Can it be true that the charge, so frequently laid at our doors by visitors, of being too engrossed in the race for wealth to turn aside in pursuit of art has something in it after all? Or is that the terrible word "fashion" has secured such a hold on Australasian human nature as to prevent people from attending "mixed" assemblages? The latter can scarcely be the case, for it is only necessary to join the crowd on the Richmond Cricket Ground, or on the Parramatta's banks, when a great event is coming off, to view the stand from the lawn on Melbourne Cup Day, or visit the Randwick races, in order to see all sorts and conditions of men and women rubbing shoulders together in the pursuit of pleasure, or of what goes by the name of it. Still the fact remains—the fact that within bowshot of a great city, with gardens whose verdure-clad knolls and perfumed flower-beds have already heard and responded to the voice of Spring, only a few hundred grown people, and, perhaps, half as many babes in arms, are all that congregate to hear the first—some say the sole—military band in the colony perform movements which have brought their composers fortune and fame. It is bewildering.

Having got the preceding paragraph off my mind, it is time to speak of Wednesday afternoon's music in the Sydney Botanic Gardens. The band is that of the New South Wales Permanent Artillery. Many, if not all, of the performers have been bandsmen in British regiments. The conductor has two or three ribbons on his undress coat, showing that in times gone by he served where it was occasionally necessary to put down the bassoon and take up the bayonet. The latter also is a musical instrument, but its melody is not a pleasant one. To play it properly requires not so much a fine touch as a determined shove. It has the droll peculiarity, too, of preserving a profound silence while turmoil and intemperate language are all around. In band contests with the bayonet, a stout pair of legs are often more serviceable than the highest skill. Men frequently take to this instrument with a light heart; but, on being requested to join in an open-air concert, excuse themselves with the stupid plea that they left their music at home and wished to return for it. I myself, tried it once; but the first real performance satisfied me that the concertina possessed many advantages over it. Full well I remember the day. My opponent was a big Maori, who thrummed on a 6ft. tomahawk. Enough of these remembrances. I said it then, and do not hesitate to say it now that a couple of trustworthy legs and a sound wind have preserved many an honest lad from harm. The musicians stood in the customary circle, the master in the centre. The audience formed a concentric circle with, of course, a much longer diameter. Some stood and listened, others circulated and laughed, while many lay prone on the soft grass drinking in with greedy eye and ear the bright surroundings and the stately melodies. It the world has any greater pleasure to offer than that of indolently reclining on a lawn like a Brussels carpet, with a superb panorama of land, water, and ever-shifting cloud spread before you, the sensuous air of the South Pacific in your face, and the sensuous airs of Italy in your ears, the world has so far managed to conceal it. By far the best number on the programme was a fine and finely-given selection from Bellini's—that sweetest of singers—"I Puritani." Whence did such men derive their divine gift—who was the fairy godmother that alighted on the cradle and tuned the soul of the wee babbling thing—bawling for something more nutritious than its tiny fist—to concert pitch, thus enabling it to lisp in melody as Pope in numbers? *Eheu!* Composer, performer, and listener, dry land and sea will have disappeared in the infinite azure of the past (the phrase is Tyndall's) before the answer is given. If we could tell how Rossini, Mozart, and Beethoven came by their strains, there would not be far to look for the cause of Shakespeare's wild wood-notes, or Béranger's dainty lyrics. One thing is pretty certain. The goddess or the fay who touch with fire the lips of earth's gifted ones has, so far, looked askance at this poor southern hemisphere. On more than one occasion it seemed as if she had come among us, come to stop. But, whether it was through pique at our prosaic antipodean life, or inability to discover proper recipients for her bounty, she seems to have spread her wings again and returned to her northern home.

Come to think of it, this music is a droll thing. None of the old-world peoples—Egyptian, Greek, or Roman—had the faintest idea of it as we understand it. The resources of the modern orchestra were as hidden from them as that hemisphere of the moon on which no man has gazed. In spite of Socrates' inquiring mind, it is by no means improbable that on hearing for the first time a Salvation Army Band he would take to his heels. This, however, is scarcely a fair test as we moderns, with all our experience, are frequently prompted to do the same. The real oddity is this: To the Chinese, the Hindoo, and the European eye all tangible objects present much the same appearance whether the eye is in the head of an infant or of an old man. Not so the ear. Rear 20 English infants in China, and 20 Chinese in England. At maturity the Englishman will think a tom-tom divine and the Guards' band a nuisance. With the Mongolians it will be precisely the reverse. In our Sepoy regiments the Indian bandsmen revel in "Faust," while their brothers who have never left their native villages prefer the scream of a locomotive. In New Zealand the Maoris used to crowd round and sit for hours listening to the drums and fifes, but would pick up their blankets and run when the brass band began. This opens up a whole field of curious speculations, but to return to the gardens.

Few of the listeners belong to "society." It is not what you would call a select audience—not the sort of people one would expect to meet at the Admiral's garden party or in the front seat at a University commemoration. There are no expensive toilettes, and few of the gentlemen wear gloves. There is a fair sprinkling of young women in charge of babies. The latter, if not asleep in perambulators, are busily employed behind trees in that most fascinating of all infantile pursuits—making themselves pitiable objects by means of mud, soft-clay, and the thousand-and-one odds and ends so dear to children, who think all callings vulgar compared with that of the chimney-sweep. Why it is that this particular profession should throw such a glamour over immature minds is a puzzle. Give a sturdy laddie or lassie of three a piece of chalk, or a handful of flour, and the thought of applying it to the face or pinafore never seems to suggest itself. But place either before a small puddle, or face to face with a shovelful of soft-ooze, then come back in five minutes and observe what your child is like. Mankind must have been originally black, or young people would never take so instinctively to mud. The unhappiest-looking being to be seen at the band on Wednesday was an urchin of four, who, with glossy boots, glossy curls, and neat gloves, approached in charge of a maid. This was at 4 p.m. The happiest, sprightliest, most contented person that tripped from the Gardens that day was a boy of four, who left at 4.30 p.m. with his wee pantaloons disgracefully unpresentable, and a thick crust of miscellaneous refuse artistically caked on him from parapet to basement. Child-life is often dreary for all it seems so pleasant. But the youth who, on being insinuated for the first time into a new suit of velvet, with cap, gloves, and stockings to match, and sent in charge of a domestic to listen to the band of the Permanent Artillery, has frequently within his reach, especially if the previous night was wet, opportunities for placid enjoyment that a monarch might envy.

A wall about 3ft. high from the land side runs all round the gardens, presenting its concave side seawards. On this a number of gentlemen, apparently from the Circular Quay wharfs and their neighbourhood, were seated in attitudes suggestive of comfort rather than effect. Few had collars, many Crimean shirts; pipes, all. They faced the band, were about 50 yards away, and kept up an enfilading fire of well-chosen raillery, subtle irony, and observations on things in general. Superfine writers might be disposed to refer to these lads and young men as "larrikins" or "roughs," but they were nothing of the kind. Their badinage might not pass muster in the drawing-room or the boudoir, but whatever mild horse-play they indulged in was kept strictly to themselves. In truth, the real rough—the gentleman you see at Blackwall or meet at the New Cut—is seldom or never seen in Australia. I say this wittingly, and I claim to have had a fair opportunity for judging. It makes one smile sometimes to take up an Australian newspaper in which a petty street row is described, and think of what can be seen any night of the week in London, Glasgow, Liverpool, Manchester, Dublin, and half a dozen other large towns in the United Kingdom. The worst display of colonial blackguardism I ever saw was at Collingwood, Melbourne, and it was a zephyr compared with a cyclone when placed beside an ordinary Saturday night's diversion in some Liverpool streets. The roughest-looking customers you see at the band are not only not fit to wait at table behind the British article's chair, but are well bred in comparison with the specimens to be met at colonial races or rowing matches. As a rule, the true rowdy does not care for good music. He would sooner witness a dog fight or a glove contest than listen to Dan Godfrey's men. I mention these facts because many people forego a real treat owing to the purely gratuitous assumption that the rough element will be present in force.

Among the crowd are many Victorian bookmakers, who came up for last week's races. What odd experiences these men must have—always dealing with the seamy side of life. The leviathans among them are dressed in a quiet way. It is the smaller fry who revel in loud colours, massive chains, and scintillating studs. The big men put up at the best hotels, and drive natty dogcarts drawn by blood stock. The others frequent second-class houses, and often appear at the races in the brave livery of a circus clown. Next to being a bookmaker I know of nothing more awful than being subjected to nameless indignities through being mistaken for a "welsher." Owing to an unnatural resemblance to a sporting Israelite, there was a friend of mine who could not attend a horse race or a sculling match without coming home in tatters. The poor fellow, having kissed his wife and children, would start blithely away at noon. At 5 p.m. he would be observed aimlessly wandering through the deepest and dirtiest pond in the vicinity of the course, while a crowd of infuriated people on the banks pelted him with vegetables and ribaldry. All this time the scoundrel whose likeness he bore was 10 miles off drinking burgundy and counting his ill-gotten gains. At 6, my friend would knock timidly at his back door, with a fair chance of being mangled by the savage dog. So you know why I despise bookmakers. Stay, is that the National Anthem to which the big drummer yonder is beating time with such vigour and enthusiasm? Bless me! how quickly an hour and a half pass, as you listen to the Band of the New South Wales Permanent Artillery in the Botanic Gardens.

## *RUSSIAN SCHOOLS.*

The *Times* published the following telegram from its St. Petersburg correspondent respecting the attitude of the Russian authorities in regard to public education:—

A curious change appears to be coming over the views of the Russian authorities in the matter of public education. The former mania for spreading classical education among all ranks now seems to be giving way to a desire to restrict it as much as possible. This was already noticeable before M. Katkoff, the great champion of classicism, passed away. Finding by experience of this system that it does not diminish Nihilism and increase the admiration of the rising generation for the autocratic power, the Ministry of Public Education is now going to do all it can to stay the influx of students of the poorer classes into the Universities. The way in which this is to be done is made clear by a circular just issued by the Minister to the curators of all scholastic circuits. The method is, of course, the usual arbitrary one, and it may be confidently predicted that a very strong feeling of dissatisfaction will be caused by it among the classes to be henceforth excluded from the higher schools.

The circular in question and others lately issued show that the classical gymnasia are to be diminished in number in proportion as the objectionable classes are excluded therefrom. Of the course to be pursued the following paragraph from the latest circular will give a very good idea. The Minister says:—"Being concerned for the improvement of the class of students in the gymnasia and pro-gymnasia schools, I find it necessary to restrict admission into these establishments to those children who are under the care of persons offering a sufficient guarantee that such children will be subject to a regular course of supervision at home, and will be able to dispose of the requisite means for completing their studies. Therefore, strictly observing this principle, the gymnasia and pro-gymnasia will henceforth refuse to receive as pupils the children of domestic servants, of cooks, washerwomen, small shopkeepers, and others of the like condition, whose children, with the exception, perhaps, of those gifted with extraordinary capacities, should not be raised from the circle to which they belong, and be thereby led, as long experience has shown, to despise their parents, to become discontented with their lot, and irritated against the inevitable inequalities of existing social positions."

In order to carry out this view, the directors of all gymnasia schools are to interrogate the parents of would-be students as to their circumstances, and to obtain information as to the material and moral character of their family life. If the parents' domestic and social conditions do not satisfy the above requirements, their children will not be admitted, and other lower and easier schools will be indicated as more suited to their station in life. At the same time the directors of these schools are to have the right of excluding any student whose family life is such as to exercise a pernicious influence upon his school companions. The annual fee is also to be raised where necessary to £4, which is certainly not dear. The circular concludes:—"It must be kept in view that the gymnasia and pro-gymnasia are schools which give access to the Universities and to the highest careers in the service of the State and the public, and that only children who learn well and whose morality leaves nothing to be desired should be educated in these establishments, so that they may produce well brought up and well-intentioned young men of proved morality, for whom the directors may be able to answer in the future not only before their superiors but also, which is even more important, before their own consciences."

The Shah of Persia is coming to Europe next April (says *Truth*), and will visit all the principal capitals, invitations having already been received at Teheran from London, Petersburg, and Paris. The Shah is to travel overland, as his dignity will not permit him to cross the Caspian Sea in a Russian steamer. The Persian flag was formerly paramount in these waters, but it has seldom been seen in the Caspian since a tragical affair which recently occurred at Baku. The Shah's yacht was entering the harbour with the Persian flag flying when a shot was fired from the fort which struck the water near her. The Persian captain thought that he was being saluted by the Russians, and pursued his course; but presently three more shots came in rapid succession, each one in more dangerous proximity to the vessel, whereupon he hauled down the flag. The Russians are morbidly tenacious on such points in Eastern waters, but this manifestation of zeal was regarded as ill-timed at St. Petersburgh, the obnoxious vessel being a Royal yacht, and it is said that the Shah was so enraged that he caused his luckless captain's head to be chopped off.

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## OUR LONDON LETTER.

LONDON, AUG. 26.

The Bulgarian question is once more engaging the anxious attention of those who are concerned in the course of European politics. Prince Ferdinand of Saxe-Coburg has made a tolerably satisfactory entry into, and progress through, his new dominions, but, now that the enthusiasm evoked by his appearance is beginning to die away, he is finding out how uneasy lies the head that wears a crown. The Powers are all agreed in saying that his action is illegal, that is to the extent of his having accepted the rulership of Bulgaria without endorsement by the Porte and the Powers. His nomination by the Grand Sobranje, however, is admitted to be perfectly within the four corners of the Berlin Treaty. Russia, of course, remains the greatest obstacle in the way of his peaceably and quietly settling down to govern the country. At one time it was believed that he might have come to an understanding with the Czar, who is known to be personally friendly to him, by virtue of which he would promise to direct the affairs of Bulgaria so that that principality might be regarded, if not as an appanage of the Muscovite Empire, at least as almost entirely under Russian influence. Prince Ferdinand made strenuous efforts to arrive at some such agreement with the Czar, but without success, and the notion that there is any understanding between the Prince and the Emperor must now be dispelled, for not only the Russian press, but also the Russian diplomatists, are doing all they can to make circumstances exceedingly uncomfortable for the "Coburger."

The latest move on the part of the St. Petersburg Court is to put pressure on the Porte, as suzerain of Bulgaria, in order to compel Prince Ferdinand's withdrawal, or lead to his ejectment by Turkish forces, backed up by Russia. But Turkey does not seem disposed to pull the chestnuts out of the fire for her northern rival. It is said, however, that the Sultan has addressed an unofficial letter to Prince Ferdinand, advising him to quit Bulgaria; and it is certain that he is not so much in accord with England, Austria, and Italy as many Englishmen would doubtless like. For reasons of his own, Prince Bismarck appears to be putting German influence on the side of Russia in this Bulgarian business, though it is surmised that the agreement between Russia and Germany is more apparent than genuine. But, after all, the real point at issue in the Bulgarian business is whether Prince Ferdinand has pluck and self-reliance sufficient to remain where he is and defy the consequences; and whether, should he do so, the Sultan and Russia would venture to interfere in Bulgaria by force of arms. The latter contingency may be dismissed as very remote, for Austria could not afford to allow either Turkey or Russia to interfere militarily in Bulgaria. But it is quite possible that Prince Ferdinand may be so worried by outside pressure, as well as by the dissensions amongst his own leaders—who, having invited him into the country, do not seem disposed to help him by forming a Government to carry on the work of administration—that, like Prince Alexander, he may come to the conclusion that the prestige of being Prince of Bulgaria is not worth the trouble which it entails. Certain it is that during the last few days the outlook before the Prince is not so favourable as it was a week ago.

The discussion which took place in the House of Commons on Tuesday night upon the New Hebrides question did not add much to our knowledge of the subject, for beyond the statement that negotiations were proceeding between ourselves and the French Government in relation thereto, and that the English Foreign Office had declined to recognise any connection between the New Hebrides question and the neutralisation of the Suez Canal, Sir James Fergusson, the Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, had little to tell us. The most satisfactory feature about the debate, and the comments in the press to which it has given rise, is the sympathy displayed towards the feelings of the Australian colonies in this matter, and the general disposition to scout any idea of compromise such as that suggested by Mr. John Higginson, the *Republique Française*, and other French journals. Nevertheless, it is not easy to see how the difficulty is to be settled, save on the basis of compromise, for the French appear to be determined, treaty engagements or no treaty engagements, to stay where they are, and even the most perfervid Victorians would hardly pretend that the New Hebrides question is one of sufficient gravity to go to war about. Victorians in London are indulging in a good deal of what Anthony Trollope used to call colonial "blow" upon this subject, and are warning us that, if any understanding be arrived at such as is not acceptable to Australian *amour propre*, the severance of the colonies from the mother-country may be the result. The fact of these vapourings being uttered, together with the general *impasse* which the New Hebrides question seems to have reached, intensifies, in quarters in which this matter is closely watched and earnestly discussed, the regret which has constantly been felt that the Rosebery-Waddington agreement came to nought. It has always been understood that New South Wales was willing to sanction the compromise which was then proposed, and which, if carried out, would have satisfactorily settled the New Hebrides question eighteen months ago; but Victoria managed to get the agreement set aside. Since then the New Hebrides question has gone from bad to worse. The language of the *Republique Française* would seem to indicate that a compromise on the Rosebery-Waddington basis is not, even now, absolutely out of the question. Should such prove to be the case, the opinion of those in London who are most familiar with Australian politics is that it might reasonably be entertained.

A telegram in to-day's newspapers from Rome has caused some little excitement in Anglo-Australian circles. It is stated that the Pope has recently publicly declared, on the authority of Cardinal Moran, Archbishop of Sydney, that the New South Wales Government had offered land to the extent of 300,000 acres to any missionaries who would undertake the civilisation of the natives in the colony. His Holiness thereupon requested the Propaganda to make arrangements for closing with this offer, lest the Roman Catholic Church should be forestalled by the Protestants. Nothing has been heard on this side of any such offer having been made by your Government, and hence the news conveyed in the telegram from Rome is accepted with some reserve. Nevertheless good Protestants are inclined to feel a little disturbed at the prospect of an enterprise which threatens to go a long way towards Catholicising the parent Australian colony.

The Proclamation of the National League has been taken very quietly, both here and in Ireland. Of course it cannot be allowed to pass without formal protest. On Tuesday a meeting of Irish Nationalists, who were assisted by some half-dozen insignificant English Radical members of Parliament, was held in Dublin to denounce the action of the Government, and last night Mr. Gladstone, in his place in Parliament, moved an address to the Crown to disallow the proclamation. But the proceedings in neither instance showed signs of much vitality. At the Dublin meeting Mr. W. O'Brien and Mr. Dillon indulged in a good deal of lawless talk, and for this, together with some other wild speeches he has been making, Mr. O'Brien is to be proceeded against under the provisions of the Crimes Act. The debate in Parliament, so far as it has gone, has proved little short of a farce. Mr. Gladstone charged the Government with having proclaimed the National League as a "dangerous association," without having presented to Parliament the information upon which it based its action. But Mr. Balfour, the Irish Secretary, and the Solicitor-General for Scotland answered this complaint with crushing effect. It is understood that the division will be taken to-night, when, of course, the Government will have a majority.

One of the immediate effects of the proclamation of the National League was that a certain number of Gladstonian Radicals immediately joined the ranks of that association, and it is announced that, as soon as Parliament has risen, they are going to assist the regular Parnellites in rousing Ireland against the Executive. They are apparently under the impression that Dublin Castle will not venture to take proceedings against them for inciting the people to outrage as it would do against ordinary Irish Nationalists; but in this particular they are likely to find themselves mistaken.

Another of Mr. Pasteur's patients is likely to die. At the beginning of the year Lord Doveraile, an Irish peer, was, together with his coachman, bitten by a tame fox, which was kept about the stables as a pet. Shortly afterwards the animal developed signs of rabies. Lord Doveraile and the coachman at once set out for Paris, and were placed under treatment by Dr. Pasteur. Since then Lord Doveraile enjoyed excellent health until a day or two ago, when he complained of feeling unwell. A doctor was summoned, who at once pronounced symptoms of hydrophobia to be apparent. His Lordship rapidly became worse, and the latest accounts concerning him are that his life is despaired of.

Mrs. Langworthy has achieved her final triumph, and the long litigation which has made her name famous wherever the English language is spoken has come to a close. Mr. E. M. Langworthy came over to England for the purpose of getting an annulment of the decree of bankruptcy which had been made against him. He was forced to appear in open court and publicly purge himself of his contempt, and then he had to make a pecuniary settlement with Mrs. Langworthy. With characteristic meanness he struggled to the last to obtain some minor advantage. First of all he wanted to deduct £50 for interest on the £20,000 which he had arranged, in pursuance of the decree of the Court, to pay her before the 12th September. Next he tried to haggle about the payment of the annuity of £500 a-year to the child of his marriage with Mrs. Langworthy, endeavouring to arrange that the payment should cease when the child reached the age of 16 years, instead of being continued for life; and lastly, he sought to prevent Mrs. Langworthy retaining the use of her married name. In all these points, however, he was defeated, and, after a hard struggle, the full amount of the £20,000 was handed over to Mrs. Langworthy's solicitors in the shape of 20 £1000 Bank of England notes, together with £1500 for costs; old Mrs. Langworthy signed a bond for the payment of the annuity in monthly instalments to Mrs. Langworthy's child; Mr. Langworthy made a humble apology in writing to Mrs. Langworthy's sister, Miss Edith Long, and then, and not until then, was the decree of bankruptcy annulled. Mr. Langworthy has now left England for the Argentine Republic, and Mrs. Langworthy is recruiting her health in Switzerland. For this truly orthodox termination—of vice defeated and virtue triumphant—to one of the strangest romances of modern times, honour is due to the public-spirited editor of the *Pall Mall Gazette*.

Our wheat harvest is being rapidly garnered in the south and midlands; but so far the crop has not proved a satisfactory one. Indeed it promises to be very much lighter than usual throughout the entire country. The reason for this is that the summer was late, owing to the long, cold, wet spring, and when it did come it burst upon us with almost tropical heat. The result has been that the straw of the corn is very short, and the grain not well matured. Except for a terrible thunderstorm which raged over the country last week, England has virtually been without rain for three months. Consequently it is only on good rich lands that the crops are equal to, or in some few cases, superior to the average. The Hessian fly is making very sad ravages in the midlands, and even in Yorkshire. The worst feature about this pest is that we are only just at the commencement of its destructive career, and during the next year or two we may witness a most serious increase in its mischief.

## OUR PARIS LETTER.

PARIS, AUG. 25.

The *Voltaire* has published an article on the New Hebrides question. Inasmuch as it very accurately represents French views which prevail on the subject, I will translate it in its entirety. It will be observed that the compliments which it passes upon English missionaries are not of a conciliatory tendency. What the *Voltaire*, however, says with regard to them is merely a repetition of what has been stated scores of times in other French papers. The English missionary was cordially detested in France long before the "Shaw" incident occurred, but that little affair, together with the well-known and effective opposition of other English missionaries to the establishment of French influence in Madagascar, served to deepen the antipathy, which arises from political rather than religious causes. The following is the article:—

"If it were possible to suppress the perfidious and perturbing race of Anglican missionaries, whited sepulchres who make the Gospel an instrument of their hatreds and their appetites, I have an idea that it would not be difficult to establish a sincere peace between France and England. We have the admission of this from a certain reverend, G. J. Paton by name, an atrabilious and turgid Protestant, who, in a letter read at the Federal Convention held at Sydney frankly declared that his work in the New Hebrides for the last 20 years has been that of inculcating upon the native mind the hatred of the French and of Catholics. I do not believe that the evangelical zeal of this Anglican has done much for English influence in the New Hebrides and their establishment upon a territory which justice and the probity of history attribute to France. It seems, moreover, improbable that the reverend will ever have the satisfaction of causing a quarrel on this subject between England and France. Our honourable compatriot, M. John Higginson, who has done so much for French colonisation, has just addressed to Sir Charles Dilke a most interesting letter in reply to certain assertions made in the book entitled 'Europe in 1887,' and which treats of your difference with England as regards the possession of the New Hebrides. Sir Charles Dilke—this is not astonishing—claims for England the possession of the New Hebrides, which he wishes to see annexed to Australia, although they are 400 leagues distant from that country. Why? His reason cannot be based on the right of the first occupant. Our Bougainville had visited the New Hebrides six years before Cook. Moreover, England has more than once proved the fragility of this right of the first occupant. If it held good, how is it that New Holland, discovered and occupied by the Dutch, belongs to England? Nor can the reason be based on treaty-right. The possession of the New Hebrides has never been the subject of a solemn treaty. It is true that in 1878 France and England signed a sort of convention in a private manner according to the terms of which there was an undertaking on both sides not to interfere with the independence of the New Hebrides. Well, and what does that matter? Who would venture to maintain at the Foreign Office that this convention, signed with very little reflection on our side, bound us in the same manner as a treaty would that had been solemnly entered into? France signed this convention in 1878. She can renounce it in 1887. It will not be England that will prevent her from doing so. Has not the convention already been torn up by England, who showed her contempt for its provisions by seizing the Fiji Islands, and thus upsetting, to her own advantage, the equilibrium which the object of the convention was to establish? Sir Charles Dilke has an economic axiom upon which he bases his reasoning. He says the right to dominate depends upon the superiority of interests. Let it be so. M. John Higginson declares that if up to the year 1882 English interests preDominated in the New Hebrides, circumstances have entirely changed since that date. The French of Noumea have purchased 300,000 hectares of land of English owners, and 400,000 of the natives. They have cultivated the soil, set up commercial establishments, organised a postal system, and landed a body of troops and Catholic missionaries. The result of all this is that the English have disappeared, and French interests predominate in the New Hebrides. The right to dominate depends upon the superiority of interests. The axiom fits our case. But of what use is all this discussion? Since 1853, the date of our establishment in New Caledonia, the New Hebrides, that are less than 100 leagues distant from it, have been French soil. They have always been considered a natural and necessary dependency—the indispensable continuation of our colony. Is England prepared to drive us from them, and to deny the commonsense consequence of an accomplished fact? On this point we are certainly not going to war with our neighbours, and the Rev. J. G. Paton will have nothing for his 20 years' hatred of the French name. Let us negotiate in peace. M. John Higginson desires neither a condominion, which would be worth no more in the New Hebrides than it was in Egypt, nor a division of the islands, which is impossible and ridiculous. He wishes for France to have the full and complete possession of the New Hebrides. For the sake of peace, he proposes the abrogation of the Convention of 1878, and the recognition by France of an English Protectorate over the Banks and the Santa Cruz. Moreover, it is proposed that the Government of the Republic shall undertake, in order to calm the susceptibilities of Australia, not to use the New Hebrides for the purpose of penal relegation. The people of Sydney were alarmed at the prospect of being in the neighbourhood of our convicts, although at a distance of 400 leagues. These propositions are equitable. It would be incomprehensible if our Government took exception to any one of them, or deferred the discussion with the Foreign Office."

Although the Russian official press has lately been throwing cold water upon the French Radicals who have been talking ostentatiously of the sympathetic ties which now unite France and Russia, the relations of the two nations are becoming more and more cordial. No alliance has been formed between them, but a community of ideas on political questions affecting the distribution of power, and the growing conviction that each can afford substantial assistance to the other, are preparing the ground for such an alliance. That the official party in Russia should show great reserve with regard to the movement that has become so sharply defined in France is quite comprehensible. Whatever views the Czar may hold respecting the necessity of a great war to deliver Russia from the galling pressure of the Germanic nations, it is certain that he has no wish to precipitate the event. For some time past the Russian policy has been one of waiting and watching, and at the present moment it is more than ever one of absolute caution and discretion. The Franco-Russian alliance is not likely to take place until the necessity for it arises. All signs, however, go to show that in the next European war France and Russia will act in concert. This is a political evolution of tremendous importance. It completely changes the axis of the European situation. The history of Europe shows that since the days of Peter the Great and Louis XIV. almost down to our own time France and Russia have been antagonists. Peter I. made overtures of an alliance to France, but although Louis XIV. perceived its political advantages he could not abandon his allies, the Swedes, the Poles, and the Turks, of whom Russia was the natural enemy. Could Russia have allied herself to France she would not have formed that alliance in 1726 with Austria and Prussia, which continued with a few short breaks until 1866. As Russia grew stronger by her conquests of Swedish, Polish, and Turkish territory, she was regarded with growing dislike and suspicion by the French. Then came the Reign of Terror. The coalition formed against the revolutionary French was in the first instance headed by Russia, and the memorable expedition of Napoleon, in 1812, was a consequence of this interference on the part of the Russians with the internal affairs of France. It is worthy of note that when Napoleon started for Moscow with his grand army, both Austria and Prussia offered to assist him against their ally of yesterday. During the whole of Louis Philippe's reign, France and Russia sulked with one another. This bad feeling reached its climax when Napoleon III. joined England in making war upon Russia in the Crimea. The French now say that they were dragged into this war by Louis Napoleon, who paid with the blood of France England's price for treating him as a sovereign, and giving him a status among the royal families of Europe. As a matter of fact, the war was popular. In 1870 Russia took her revenge upon the French by allowing them to be crushed by Germany, and, animated by the same spirit of reprisals, the French Government associated itself at the Berlin Conference with other Powers in snatching from Russia the fruit of her victories on the Danube and in the Balkans. But nations change their minds as quickly—perhaps more quickly—than individuals. No French Government would now move a step to prevent Russia from seizing Constantinople or swallowing the whole of Turkey if she felt equal to the effort. France has discovered within the last few months that her policy with regard to Russia, extending over nearly 200 years, has been nothing but a series of prodigious blunders; that this nation so long treated as a traditional enemy is in reality, by its geographical position and the identity of certain political interests of the first importance, a natural ally. This firm determination of the French to support the Russians in all their schemes is unquestionably a disturbing element. England has not the same reason as Germany for regarding this Russo-French movement with anxiety; nevertheless she cannot afford to be indifferent to it. An alliance between France and Russia considerably increases the danger to which British possessions in Asia are exposed.

## OUR ST. PETERSBURG LETTER.

ST. PETERSBURG, JULY 30.

M. Katkoff, who has always been one of the strongest adversaries of the Russian Universities, which he thirsted to reform after his own ideal, never went, even in imagination, so far as the Government is now going in repressive measures, the purpose of which it is even difficult to understand, so opposed are they to every practical end. Justly alarmed at the indignation the rumours of forthcoming changes have awakened among the intelligent Moscovites, M. Katkoff hurried to St. Petersburg, and besought the Emperor not to sanction the project in question; but his Majesty, who in his present designs is only following the advice bestowed upon him by the triumvirate (Katkoff, Pobedonosteff, and Tolstoi) for years, justly displeased at what he rightly considers inconsistency on the part of Katkoff, treated him with so much severity that the great publicist returned to Moscow in a state of discomfiture and humiliation that brought on a fit of paralysis and placed his life in jeopardy. During more than a week his case seemed to be hopeless; having lost his speech, but fully preserving the clearness of his intelligence, he fell into a state of restlessness and anxiety, which increased the peril. The *Moscow Gazette* continues to come out, only shorn of its brilliant leading articles, which are always due to the pen of M. Katkoff himself. This star has been on the decline for some time already. Had he been suffered to retain until now that strong ascendancy which he once had over the Emperor, there is no doubt that Russia would have plunged headlong into war, for Katkoff preferred an open struggle to the silent German campaign against the Russian finances, in which all Europe stealthily helps. The gradual dwindling of the rouble to half of its value is the result of clever intrigues on the part of the "Berlin friends," and a great many persons, by no means followers of Katkoff, begin to think that in this respect at least he may have been in the right, and that this apathetic and too prolonged "expectative attitude" of the Government concerning Bulgarian affairs, may end in a more unfavourable way than if a great war had actually taken place. This opinion is beginning to gain ground even among the most peacefully disposed persons.

The candidature of Prince Saxe Cobourg to the throne of Bulgaria is regarded in Petersburg as another act of the comedy played by the Regency. It is unlikely the Prince should accept the proposition without the sanction of Russia, which he hopes to obtain. Radoslavoff is arrested in Varna, which fact proves that Stambouloff's party and that of the Radical ex-Minister are at war. Just now the Regency, i.e., Messrs. Stambouloff and Motkouroff, compose the Austrian party, still hoping to assure the triumph of their candidate, Prince Saxe Cobourg, whereas Nicolaeff and Radoslavoff, remaining faithful to Prince Battenberg, whom they still hope to behold on the throne of Bulgaria, represent the English party. Austria and England, who went hand in hand as long as it was necessary to frustrate the plans of Russia, disagreed in the practical part of their programme, and now are at a loss what to do. The latest diplomatical project of Russia concerning a compromise for putting an end to the anarchy in Bulgaria, has evidently been if not accepted, at least taken into consideration by Germany. The consent of France not being doubtful, it remains only for England not to withdraw hers. The project in question can, however, only be realised by serious concessions to Russia, the dissolution of the National Assembly, the fixing of new elections under proper control, and last, but not least, the choice of a Prince not antagonistic to Russian interests on the Peninsula. The realisation of this plan is not easier now than it was at the beginning, for the Regency would have to retire willingly from the political arena, or be deposed by the nation. It is difficult to foresee how this end will be effected. If M.M. Stambouloff and Motkouroff continue to display such resources of subtlety in intrigue, and boldness in action, as that with which they have braved the Colossus all this time, and set Russian diplomacy at fault, there is no reason why they should give up now. We must seek the cause of Russia's reiteration of her former pretensions in some arrangement with England. A new candidate is already named here—no other than Prince Tmeretinski. The papers here add a good deal of importance to this new phase of the Bulgarian question.

Affairs in Afghanistan appear to be marching towards a favourable termination. The tone of the English press has changed in a marked degree, and many organs, without any intermediary phases, have passed from open ill-will and antagonism to Russia to the expression of almost friendly feelings. A letter from Petersburg to the Political Correspondent, received, it is assured, from a reliable source, asserts that in diplomatic circles here the arrangement arrived at about the Afghan frontier line is considered as having a "symptomatic importance," and as extending far beyond the simple fact. This supposition is founded upon the settled question having been one of the most thorny, and even several times on the point of provoking a serious rupture in Central Asia between England and Russia. That Russia has forborne to make further difficulties only proves once more how earnestly she strives for peace; for there is not the smallest doubt that in those regions a war would be certain to end in favour of the Russians, and they might have taken this advantage to strike such a blow at England as fully to compensate their disasters in Bulgaria. Consequently, the frank manner in which Russia has held out her hand to England, and fully reassured her on some points, proves that the unbridled chauvinism and thirst for conquest supposed to be the leading features of Russian politics are clearly an aberration much spread in England and greatly owing to the *Moscow Gazette*. Just now the whole attention of the Government is concentrated upon the Hydra of Anarchism. How to crush this, how to preserve the rising generation from being imbued with its doctrines, how to prevent the evil from spreading among the unenlightened mass—these are the problems which engross the attention of all, from the Emperor down to the last of his functionaries. And like a set of unskilful physicians they apply the most unlikely remedies to cure this sore place, and instead of curing it irritate the whole organism. When the best minds of a nation have come to the conclusion—as Count Tolstoy for example—that in culture and education lies the secret of the evil of revolution, and that a nation to be kept quiet should be kept ignorant, what can one expect?

Just at present every thing seems quiet enough. I do not believe that the plans for the reforming of the Universities in their actual redaction will be applied. It is not likely that the Emperor will risk making himself so unpopular among those of his subjects who are most devoted to him. Every one expects September with an anxious heart, however, and the clouds brooding over society render every one more or less crestfallen. Whereas in every other civilised and great sacrifices are made by the Government to make education cheap, here measures are taken to put it absolutely out of the reach of poor people, and to so circumscribe the attainment of it with difficulties for those who can pay, as to discourage the most sanguine persons, and dissuade them from the pursuit of knowledge to be had at such a price.

The great topic of the day here is the eclipse of the sun, which is to take place on the 7th August. The number of Englishmen and Americans who have arrived is incredible. Even now, a fortnight before the time, the Moscow hotels are fast filling. The line of the total eclipse extending over a great portion of Russia and Siberia, where the population is absolutely ignorant and in a most primitive state, it has been thought necessary to charge the clergy of every village to explain the cause of the sudden darkness to the peasants; for the last time this phenomenon occurred the panic among the people was such that many killed themselves, and still more were bereft of their reason. It is a question whether any good will come of this precaution, because the priests, for the most part, are quite as superstitious as their flocks. The common people have not the least faith in what is taught them concerning certain natural phenomena. Not one Russian peasant believes that the sun does not turn round the earth; if you tell him so he laughs indulgently, and says, "Well, if master will have it so, let it be so;" but he has not the least doubt that he is in the right, and that "too much learning makes a man crazy."

A most curious correspondence is taking place between the authorities of the city of Vierna, recently destroyed by an earthquake, and the St. Petersburg authorities. The question is whether this city is to be rebuilt on the old site, or transported 70 versts east, on a spot said to be less exposed in case of a repetition of the earthquake. A commission of scientific men was appointed to inquire into the question, and it unanimously declared the old site to be perilous, all the probabilities being in favour of frequent future shocks. But the Vierna authorities, having an interest to stay where they are, have sent a petition to St. Petersburg to ask permission to rebuild the town of wood, upon the same place, wooden houses having proved less dangerous than solid stone buildings. Almost all the remaining inhabitants of the doomed town have appended their names to this strange petition. After some hesitation the authority has been granted.

On July 16 a sensible shock was felt at Baken and throughout all the Caucasus. No lives were lost, nor were any buildings seriously damaged; but the panic among the inhabitants was very great. Travellers by the Tiflis railway clearly felt the shock, though at first no one guessed the real cause.

The building of the Russian railroads in Central Asia has led to the appreciation of the excellent lands through which they will run, and to calculations upon the fabulous results which a proper culture of these regions would bring to Russia. It is affirmed by persons familiar with these parts of Central Asia that Russia could, with a little care and cultivation, not only get the whole amount of cotton necessary for her factories from thence, but export double the quantity and more. The extent of territory belonging to Russia, in Central Asia, is immense, the quality of the soil better than that of Little Russia. In the Fergau and Sir Darin provinces alone there are more than 2,250,000 dissetins of irrigated land. The non-irrigated districts are, nevertheless, fertile, if there be sufficient rain, which is not infrequently the case. The climate is most favourable to the development of the silkworm. The primitive fabrication of silks by the natives has already made great progress since the conquest of the country by the Russians. Seventeen years ago silk was produced to the quantity of 100,000 pouds a-year, and was so good that it sold for 400 roubles the poud. In 1870-75, 40,000,000 roubles worth of silk was exported, principally bought by Russians. Then the resources of that rich country in cattle, in fruits, in all kinds of minerals, are immense, and await only some practical enterprise to fill the empty coffers of the State. Ignorance, however, has called the Russian possessions in Central Asia "oceans of sand scorched by a burning sun," and the public has accepted this definition.

The law forbidding Germans to acquire land in Poland is now put forward by the *Post* as the reason for the pitiless war declared to the Russian finances. "This measure," says the *Post*, "has placed the Russian credit in such a doubtful position, that it has at least the merit of opening the eyes of Europe, which might have continued to have that blind confidence which has given Russia the possibility of getting so deeply into debt with Germany."

The harvests promise to be fine in most of the governments.

The Nijni Novgorod Fair opened on the 15th. Until now business appears to be slack, though there is a great demand for cotton manufactured stuffs, prints, &c.

Baron Maclay has returned to St. Petersburg with his family.

## *CORONER'S INQUESTS.*

### A FATAL FALL.

The Acting Coroner (Captain Fisher, J.P.) held an inquest yesterday at the Assembly Hotel, Hunter-street, regarding the death of Aristo Scardilgi, 23 years of age, a native of Tuscany, who met with a fall on board the ship Seiriol Wyn on the 18th August last. The deceased was a seaman, and was recently employed in unloading the ship Seiriol Wyn while she was lying at Adelaide Wharf. Shortly after 2 p.m. on the 18th August last he endeavoured to lower himself from the rigging to the deck by means of a rope. In doing this he fell from the third mast on to the deckhouse, a depth of about 35 feet. He was at once taken to the Sydney Hospital, where it was found that his back was broken. He lingered until 11 p.m. on the 27th September, when he died from the effects of that injury. The jury found that the man died from the effects of an injury received through falling from the yard on to the deck of the ship.

### FOUND DEAD IN BED.

An inquest was also held by the Acting Coroner at the South Sydney morgue, yesterday, touching the death of a woman named Sophia Smith, 55 years of age, who was found dead in bed at her residence, No. 50, Gipps-street, Surry Hills, at an early hour on Thursday morning. The deceased was the wife of William F. Smith, caretaker of the Royal Arcade. The evidence showed that when she went to bed at about 9 p.m. on Wednesday last she complained of a pain in the left shoulder. Her husband then asked her whether she would have a doctor called in, and she said that she would rather wait till the next morning. At 2 a.m. on Thursday her husband found that her body was very cold, and he consequently went for a medical man. On the arrival of Dr. Marshall, jun., he pronounced life extinct. From an autopsy of the body the doctor concluded that the primary cause of death was acute inflammation of the right lung, and that the secondary causes were heart disease and general alcoholic cirrhosis. A verdict of death from natural causes was returned by the jury.

SUDDEN changes of weather, any emergency, influenza, feverish colds, drawing an overdraft on the bank of life, late hours, fagged, unnatural excitement, breathing impure air, too rich food, alcoholic drink, gouty, rheumatic, and other blood poisons, biliousness, sick headache, skin eruptions, pimples on the face, want of appetite, sourness of stomach, &c., use Eno's Fruit Salt. It is pleasant, cooling, health-giving, refreshing, and invigorating. You cannot overstate its great value in keeping the blood pure and free from disease.
CAUTION.—Legal rights are protected in every civilised country. Examine each bottle and see that the capsule is marked "Eno's Fruit Salt;" without it you have been imposed on by worthless imitations. Sold by all chemists.

## *LAW REPORT.*

### SUPREME COURT.—FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30.

*In Equity.—(Before his Honor the* CHIEF JUSTICE.)

DIXSON V. SAYWELL'S TOBACCO COMPANY.

Mr. C. J. Manning, instructed by Messrs. Creagh and Williams, appeared for the defendant company, and moved for further time to file statement of defence in the above suit, which is brought to restrain defendant company from using a certain brand or trade mark alleged by the plaintiff to be a colourable imitation of a trade mark used and registered by him. Mr. Knox appeared to show cause.

His HONOR, after hearing argument, considered that the defendant was entitled to an extension of time, and ordered that statement of defence be filed on or before 12 o'clock on the following day, to be verified by affidavit afterwards; costs of the application to abide the event.

RE ESTATE OF WILLIAM PURVES (DECEASED) AND THE SETTLED ESTATES ACT.

Mr. C. J. Manning appeared for the trustees under the will of the late William Purves, and applied under the 13th section of the Settled Estates Act for an order to sell and dispose of the property out of Court, under such restrictions as the Court might deem it fit to impose.

His HONOR granted the application.

Several short matters were adjourned till Monday.

*In Chambers.—(Before his Honor Mr. Justice* INNES.)

RE ROBERT HAMILTON AND OTHERS.

Mr. Wise and Mr. Cohen appeared for Robert Hamilton, John Hamilton, and George Lea Wilson, of Sydney, and applied for an order calling upon Wm. Jennings, Abraham Jennings, and others, trading under the style and firm of Jennings, Pickering, and Co., timber merchants, to show cause why a certain caveat of the 30th March, 1887, should not be removed from the file, and why the applicants should not be allowed to register under the provisions of the Real Property Act a certain memorandum of mortgage, dated 1886, under the hand of Frederick Blunt the younger, of Marrickville, builder, of a certain parcel of land situated at Addison-road, Petersham, being the whole of the land comprised in a certain certificate of title, bearing date the 1st day of July, 1886, and registered under the provisions of the Real Property Act. Mr. Lingen appeared for the respondent to show cause.

His HONOR, after hearing the facts set out on either side, said that the matter was a very important one, and he thought it should be settled by the Full Court. It seemed to him a very undesirable thing that he should make the order unless he was absolutely obliged to do so. He did not think he was obliged to make an order in this case for the removal of the caveat, and, as there were confessedly equities on both sides that he had not had an opportunity of inquiring into, if he made an order it might possibly lead to some irreparable injustice; and, therefore, it seemed to him to be the best course to decline to make the order, though he thought the applicant's was the superior position. He would refer the whole matter to the Full Court, where it might be investigated, and he would also grant leave to both sides to fill fresh affidavits; costs of the application to abide the event.

Order accordingly.

*In Divorce.—(Before his Honor the* CHIEF JUSTICE.)

MITCHELL V. MITCHELL.

Mr. Tarleton appeared for the applicant, Francis John Mitchell, and moved for a rule nisi calling upon the petitioner in the above divorce suit to show cause why the respondent (applicant) should not be released from gaol.

His HONOR said that he had no power to vary the decree in this case, but if all the parties consented he could make an order for the discharge of the applicant.

### INSOLVENCY COURT.—FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30.

(*Before the* REGISTRAR.)

THIRD MEETINGS.

In re John Schefer, Hugh Roxburgh, and George Lawson Langland Roxburgh, William Anlezark, and Walter John Douglas. No debts were proved, no directions were given, and the meetings terminated.

In re Thomas Wheatley. One debt was proved, and written directions were given that insolvent should be allowed his furniture and wearing apparel. The meeting then terminated.

SINGLE MEETINGS.

In re John Howlett Hubbard. Insolvent attended, and did not desire to amend his schedule. One debt was proved, no directions were given, and the meeting closed.

In re Eric Gustav Isberg. Insolvent was present, and did not desire to amend his schedule or statement under rule 20. No debts were proved and the meeting terminated.

In re Alfred Lester. Insolvent attended, and did not desire to amend his schedule. No debts were proved, and the meeting terminated.

SECOND MEETINGS.

In re William Edward Warren. Insolvent was present and desired to amend his schedule in parts A and D. Four debts were proved, and the meeting terminated.

In re Richard Kelly. Insolvent was present and amended part D of his schedule by adding two debts. Four debts were proved, and the meeting was adjourned to the 5th October.

In re John Woodward. Insolvent did not desire to amend his schedule. Two debts were proved, and the meeting closed.

In re William Walton. Insolvent amended parts B, C, and D of his schedule, but did not desire to amend his statement under rule 20. No debts were proved, and the meeting closed.

SPECIAL MEETINGS FOR PROOF, &C.

In re William Clare. One debt was proved; no directions were given, and the meeting terminated.

In re Samuel Gregory Bowler. Two debts were proved, and the meeting terminated.

In re Thomas John Chapman. Two debts were proved, and three were ordered to stand over. The meeting was then adjourned to the 10th October.

In re John Cecil Brown. One debt was proved, and the meeting closed.

In re Robert Moody and Mark Aarons. Two debts were proved, and the meeting closed.

SURRENDERS.

Mary Anne Wilcox, of Dallingha, South Grafton, widow. Liabilities, £6016 3s. 4d.; assets, £392 10s. Mr. L. T. Lloyd, official assignee.

John Edward Walsh, of Little Underwood-street, Paddington, lately residing at 162, Walker-street, Redfern, labourer. Liabilities, £40 10s. 9d.; assets, £3. Mr. E. M. Stephen, official assignee.

Francis John Mitchell, now of the debtors' prison, Darlinghurst, lately residing at West Maitland. Liabilities, £159 5s.; assets, £40. Mr. E. M. Stephen, official assignee.

James Francis Wilkie, of Lane Cove-road, St. Leonards, North Shore. Liabilities, £1683 11s. 7d.; assets, £2140 9s. 11d. Mr. A. Morris, official assignee.

Charles Berlyn and Thomas Evans, of Young, watchmakers and jewellers, carrying on business under the name and style of Berlyn and Evans. Liabilities, £312 12s. 4d.; assets, £214 7s. 3d. Mr. E. M. Stephen, official assignee.

Henry Hunter, of the debtors' prison, Darlinghurst, late of Narrabri. Liabilities, £155; assets, £6. Mr. E. M. Stephen, official assignee.

COMPULSORY SEQUESTRATION.

James Blight, of Hay, wheelwright, on the petition of Benjamin Myers, of Hay, hay and corn dealer. Rule nisi returnable October 13. Mr. Augustus Morris, official assignee.

SCHEDULES FILED.

Charles Host, of Broughton Creek. Liabilities, £398; assets, £47.

Elias Cohen, of 751, George-street South, storekeeper. Liabilities, £701; assets, £53.

Reginald John Harry Beaumont, late of Lismore. Liabilities, £2462; assets, £24.

### DISTRICT COURT.—FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30.

(*Before his Honor Judge* WILKINSON.)

JONES V. BURNS.

Mr. S. J. Bull for plaintiff, and Mr. Field (instructed by Messrs. M'Culloch and M'Culloch) for defendant. This was a Supreme Court issue. It appears that Alexander Burns, timber merchant, recently sued James Dalzel, of the Glebe, dray proprietor, upon a promissory note for £40. Verdict went by default in the Supreme Court, and then a distress was issued. The present plaintiff, James Jones, of Rookwood, then issued an interpleader summons claiming that the goods which were seized, consisting of a horse, dray, harness, &c., were his. He stated that he purchased them from Dalzel for £60. A document was drawn up by a man of the name of Prenderville, and the money passed between them, plaintiff driving the horse and cart away to Rookwood. Two or three days afterwards he stated that Dalzel came to him and said he was disappointed in not getting a situation he thought of when he sold these things, and agreed to give plaintiff £1 per week for the use of the whole plant. The contract of sale was put in, and also receipts for £1 per week from July to September.

The defence was that the purchase by the plaintiff was not a bona fide one.

A large number of witnesses were examined, and his Honor gave a verdict for the defendant Burns.

JOHNSTON V. WATT.

Plaintiff sued defendant for the recovery of £25, on the ground that he had not, upon quitting a house in Underwood-street, Paddington, after having it on lease, left it in good repair, and because of which it had since remained unlet. The defence was that the house remained unlet simply because plaintiff charged a high rent. His Honor non-suited plaintiff.

*Second Court.—(Before his Honor Judge* DOWLING.)

HENRY V. SMITH.

The plaintiff in this case was Ivan Henry, a hotel broker, and the defendant was Honorah Smith, of the Friend-in-Hand Hotel, Glebe. The plaintiff claimed the sum of £56 18s. 9d., for commission due on the sale of the Friend-in-Hand Hotel to a Mr. Blanchfield, which plaintiff maintained had been effected through his agency.

Mr. Field, instructed by Mr. J. M. Curtis, appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Gannon for the defendant.

His HONOR, who had reserved his decision from the previous day, gave a verdict for the defendant.

JOHNSON V. BARLOW.

Benjamin Alfred Johnson, Miller-street, North Shore, sued Martin Barlow, of the Palace Hotel, for £20 for work done. The defence was that the work, which was painting, had not been properly performed. Mr. Reid, instructed by Mr. A. J. Brady, defended. His Honor gave a verdict for the defendant.

### QUARTER SESSIONS.

The following are the cases which have been set down for hearing at the Metropolitan Court of Quarter Sessions, the sittings of which are to be formally commenced at, and adjourned for 24 hours, at Darlinghurst Courthouse on Monday next, before Mr. District Court Judge Murray:—Patrick Connelly, William Colgan, and Thomas Blarney, breaking and entering and stealing; Lotty Eversan and Kate Mangan, larceny (two charges); Catherine Harris, attempt at suicide; John Francis Conlon, false pretences and embezzlement; James Siddins, receiving; John Thompson, alias Ward, attempt to steal from the person; William Johnson, indecent assault; William Thompson, false pretences; Thomas Hayes, breaking and entering; Richard Soper, stealing in a dwelling (two charges); James Smith, larceny (eight charges); Eliza Emerson, keeping a disorderly house; William Arthur Richards, false pretences; Frederick Bauer, stealing in a dwelling; May Anderson, alias Myra Thorne and Ellen M'Intosh, stealing from the person; James Hellyer, larceny (two charges); William Boyd, larceny and receiving; Albert Briggs, assault, with intent to rob; William Morrison and James Mahony, attempt to steal from the person; Sarah Elms, unlawfully exposing a child under the age of two years; Emily Collins, the same; James Cain, assault with intent to commit a capital offence; Walter Smart, forgery and uttering; Mary Ann Woodward, uttering; Alexander Scott, false pretences (two charges); William M'Donald, Joseph Kane, and John Ahearn, larceny; John Roberts, attempt at suicide; Alfred Henry Sherman, false pretences; Ellen M'Intosh, stealing from the person; William Harrigold, the same; John Godfrey Hilder, false pretences (two charges); John Wilson, William Henry Nightingale, alias Andrew Lynch, and John Chapman, garotting; William Henry Nightingale, alias Andrew Lynch, grievous bodily harm; William Johnson, alias Alfred Harland, and Herbert Frost, larceny; James M'Donald Patton, Thomas Henry Blake, and James Short, forgery and uttering; Annie Robson and Annie Smith, maliciously wounding; Norah King, Jack Cullen, and Joseph Rundle, breaking and entering and stealing; James Cronin, forgery and uttering (five charges); John Power, George Clarke, alias "Maggots," and James Kilgarry, breaking gaol; John Power and James Kilgarry, alias Boylan, larceny; James Cronin, forgery and uttering; James Olsen Kaal, attempt to break and enter; Jane Pettit, attempt at suicide; Frederick Martin, illegally pawning (two charges); Ellen Rawsthorne, maliciously wounding; Richard Jones, attempt to shoot, Mary Hanson, uttering; Hugh Clitheroe, breaking gaol; William Mountstephen, bodily harm; Henry Miller, attempt to break into a school-house; William Brown, larceny; Robert Owens and William Owens, larceny; Margaret Redden, alias Russell, and Mary Ann Glover, keeping disorderly houses.

## *POLICE.*

Mr. Clarke, S.M., sat in the Charge Division of the CENTRAL POLICE COURT yesterday. Hakin Gibson, chemist's assistant, on remand, was committed for trial at the Quarter Sessions upon a charge of having committed an unnatural crime. Frederick Henry, alias Jones, failed to answer when called upon in connection with a charge of vagrancy, and it was ordered that his recognizance of £20 be estreated. Charles Cooper, 26, labourer, for having stolen a pair of boots, valued at 6s. 9d., the property of Grace Brothers, was sentenced to three months' hard labour. Frederick Hanson, 12, who had been found habitually wandering about the streets, was remanded to the Industrial School Vernon. John Hayes, licensee of the Warwick Arms Hotel, Riley-street, was fined £5, with 5s. 6d. costs, for having sold liquor on a Sunday, in default of payment one month. Fanny Capes, alias Anderson, was sentenced to a month's hard labour for vagrancy. Margaret Redden, alias Russell, and Mary Ann Glover were committed for trial at the Quarter Sessions, on charges of having kept houses of ill repute. Eliza Binnings and John Morrison were fined respectively £2 and £1, with costs, for having used indecent language. Michael B. Fogarty, licensee of the Star Hotel, Bay-street, Glebe, was fined £3, with 5s. 6d. costs, for a breach of the Sunday selling clause of the Licensing Act. Annie Hanley, who had been "found leaving" was ordered to pay 10s. 6d. William Freebairn, proprietor of the Royal Crown and Anchor Hotel, Glebe, was mulct to the extent of £2 5s. 6d., with the option of 14 days' imprisonment, for having supplied liquor to aborigines. Ellen Winson, for having assaulted a child named Margaret Dean with a tin-can opener, was fined £3, with £1 7s. 8d. costs, in default of payment one month in gaol. John Ellis was ordered to pay 7s. 6d. per week, for 12 months, towards the support of Mary Ann Ellis. James Kennedy, on a like charge, was ordered to pay 7s. per week for a similar period to Bridget Kennedy. Mr. Clarke, S.M., presided on the Summons side.

Mr. Whittingdale Johnson, S.M., disposed of the business in the WATER POLICE COURT. Donald Wattison, 25, fireman, was fined 20s., or two days' gaol, for playing at a certain game, to wit, "heading 'em," in Sussex-street, to the annoyance of passengers in that thoroughfare. Mary Blake, 40, charged with having insufficient lawful means of support, was sentenced to three months' imprisonment with hard labour. John Kelly, 38, labourer, was fined £5, or, in default, three months' gaol, for committing an offence against decency in Belmore-road, Coogee. Agnes Escott, 35, married, was fined 10s., or two days' gaol, for drunkenness and disorderly conduct in Woolloomooloo-street. For using obscene language in the same thoroughfare, the accused was further fined 20s., or seven days' gaol. Lena Jones, a girl under the age of 16, charged with stealing a number of articles of wearing apparel, value in all £2 5s., the property of Alfred L. Cohen, was sent to Shaftesbury Reformatory for 12 months. Otto Alfred Byorkimn, a Norwegian seaman, belonging to the ship Blenda, was ordered to be kept in gaol for two weeks with hard labour for wilful disobedience of lawful commands. George Day, on remand, charged with stealing a coat and vest, value £4, the property of George Goldstein, clothier, Lower George-street, was ordered to be kept in gaol for three months with hard labour. Daniel Gordon, on remand, was charged with fraudulently appropriating to his own use the sum of £1, the money of Leon Icard. It appears from the evidence that the accused made up a "sweep" at the Randwick races. The prosecutor was induced to take a ticket valued at £1; he drew the horse that came in second in a certain race, and on trying to obtain his money found that the man who promoted the "sweep" had decamped. Icard subsequently saw Gordon in custody, and the charge was preferred against him at a later period. Mr. Johnson said he had given this matter his full consideration, and he had decided to convict. In his opinion, the so-called "sweep" was a fraud. After some observations from the prisoner's solicitor, Mr. Lowe, Mr. Johnson said he did not see why scoundrels like this should be let off; the whole thing was a gross fraud; he was quite prepared to convict, and let the other Court upset his decision if they liked. He then sentenced the prisoner to three months' gaol, with hard labour. Mr. Lowe gave notice of appeal. Mr. J. M. Marsh, S.M., dealt with the business in the Summons Division. A Chinese lodging-house keeper, named Ah You, residing in Goulburn-street, was charged by Inspector Seymour with allowing filth to remain on his premises. The charge was proved. It being the Chinaman's third offence, he was fined £5, with 5s. costs; in default, one month's gaol with hard labour.

Mr. James Buchanan, S.M., presided at the NEWTOWN POLICE COURT. Bertha Riley, 26, married, was fined 10s. for being drunk and disorderly, and for using profane language was further fined 20s., or in default seven days' imprisonment. David Solomon was charged with furiously driving four horses attached to a 'bus, and was fined 20s., and 2s. 6d. costs of Court, or in default seven days' imprisonment. On the Summons side of the Court, Charles F. R. Wearne was charged with having neglected to comply with an order of the Court, made on September 14, for the support of his wife. He was ordered to be imprisoned until the order was complied with, but for a period of not more than 12 months. John Fry summoned Thomas Anderson for assaulting him at Hurstville on September 17. The complainant deposed that defendant came to his house drunk, and when he was remonstrated with, defendant called him a liar and struck him with a walking-stick. Fined 20s., 4s. 10d. costs, or 21 days' imprisonment. Alice Dyke charged Mrs. Cook with having committed an assault upon her at Enfield on September 19. The women were neighbours, and the quarrel resulted in the defendant striking the complainant a severe blow in the eye. Fined 20s., 5s. 10d. costs, or 21 days' imprisonment. George Hawkins was fined 20s. and costs for assaulting Mary Bolton, or in default 21 days' imprisonment.

At the PARRAMATTA POLICE COURT, before Messrs. H. Byrnes and R. Harper, Js.P., three members of the Salvation Army, named Peter Kaiser, Frank Rule, ("captain"), and Walter Chamberlain, were charged under the borough bylaws with loitering on the streets and obstructing the traffic. It appeared from the evidence that the defendants were, with others, holding services in the streets, and when requested to move on did not do so. It was also shown that they had caused a horse in a vehicle to shy, and thereby nearly led to a serious accident. Kaiser and Rule, against whom there were two charges, were each ordered to pay a sum of £2 14s. 3d. in all, or to go to gaol for one month, and the amounts not being forthcoming they were removed to the cells. Chamberlain, against whom there was only one charge, was fined £1 15s 10d. in all, which he paid.

## *SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.*

### TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Our expensive Educational Department professes to place facilities for primary instruction within every child's reach, and fines those parents whose children do not attend a certain number of days in each half-year, and yet, because my two young children, who have been attending Newtown Public school, were absent last Monday and Tuesday on account of a slight indisposition, their fees were refused acceptance on Wednesday morning, and they were sent home with a written message that their places had been filled up and they must go to some other school.

I am, &c., H. T. D.

Bellevue, 45, Wilson-street, Newtown, September 29.

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## *DEPUTATIONS.*

### THE COALFIELDS REGULATION BILL.

A deputation, consisting of Mr. Ellis, M.L.A., Mr. T. Walker, M.L.A., Mr. Bennett (Mayor of Wickham), Mr. Gilmore (Mayor of Wallsend), Mr. Rae (Mayor of Hamilton), Mr. Scholey (Mayor of Waratah), Mr. Evans (Mayor of Adamstown), Alderman Weir, of Adamstown, and Mr. Rogers, secretary to the vigilance committee at Wickham, waited upon the Minister for Mines yesterday to suggest several amendments to the proposed Coalfields Regulation Bill which is about to be introduced into Parliament.

The deputation presented the following petition, which they asked the Minister to consider:—"To the Hon. the Minister for Mines. Sir,—Your petitioners, viewing with grave apprehension and alarm the extent of the injury to property and jeopardy to human life existing throughout the several municipalities in the Newcastle district, and caused by the careless and reckless undermining for coal, as carried on in our midst and elsewhere, humbly sheweth the necessity of an amended Coalfields Regulation Bill being introduced on an early date, with a view to minimising this and other kindred evils in connection therewith, and which of late have been thrust upon the public attention. Your petitioners do hereby further memorialise you to accede to the desires of their constituents by embodying in your contemplated new Coalfields Regulation Bill the subjoined clauses as adopted at a municipal conference held at Wickham on Saturday, the 27th day of August, 1887. And, as in duty bound, your petitioners will ever pray." They also submitted the following proposed amendments in and additions to the Coal-fields Regulation Bill, as adopted at the recent conference:—Clause 5 From line 18, beginning "Every such copy or tracing," to read: "Every such copy or tracing shall be deposited with the keeper of mining records, and duplicates of same with municipal councils where the interests of such councils are or may be affected, and only produced when required in courts of law or within council chambers, when such councils shall determine same to be in the interests of the municipality And any mine owner, agent, or manager concealing or withholding information or facilities toward such inspection and plans, shall be deemed guilty of an offence against this Act and liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds (£100). Clause 6.—New Clause (Criminal Proceedings and Penalty): "If, after an inspection, the accuracy of any plan is questioned by the Inspector or Examiner of Coal-fields, it shall be lawful for the Inspector or Examiner of Coalfields to order a survey so as to decide the matter, and if it has been found that an encroachment; has been made, and coal or other mineral extracted, it will devolve upon the Inspector of Coalfields to at once apprise the owner or owners of same that such is the case, and he shall at once institute criminal proceedings against the mine owners, agents, managers, or managing directors in any colliery or collieries which at the time was or were so situated as to give free access to the area of encroachment, and any mine owners, agents, managers, or managing directors making such encroachment shall be deemed guilty of a criminal offence against this Act, and shall on conviction be liable to a penalty of not less than one and not exceeding five years' imprisonment, with or without hard labour, or the mitigated penalty of one hundred (£100) and not exceeding one thousand pounds (£1000) with one pound (£1) for every ton of coal or other mineral so disturbed or removed." Clause 39, to delete clause 38, and insert, "To ensure the better safety of roads, streets, bridges, public and other buildings within municipalities, no coal or other mineral shall be taken from under same until permission has been applied for and granted by the municipal council where the mining is to be carried on, who will also determine on the report of the local inspector or other independent surveyor appointed by and answerable to such councils, the manner and extent of the workings, with the nature of the after supports. Municipal councils may combine in maintaining a surveyor who shall have the same privileges of inspection and survey as appertain to the Government inspector; and any mine owner, agent, or manager concealing or withholding information or facilities towards such inspection and plans shall be deemed guilty of an offence against this Act, and liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds (£100.)"

After hearing the arguments in support of the prayer of the petition and the proposed amendments,

Mr. Abigail said, in reference to the terms of the petition, he would like to thank the gentlemen before him for bringing these matters under notice. A request was made by the Department to those interested in the question of coalfields and their surroundings to make known to the Department any suggestions that they thought might be incorporated in the new Coalfields Regulation Bill. He took it that the deputation, in the expressions of confidence that they had made to-day, were sincere, and that they had no sympathy with other statements that had been made in the Newcastle district, that the thing was all humbug, and that there was no desire or intention on the part of the Government to carry out this measure. He took the opportunity of saying that he, at any rate, recognised the necessity for a new Coalfields Regulation Bill. He had shown that by the fact that it was one of the first measures he gave attention to when he took this position. That, at any rate, was some guarantee of his sincerity in desiring to bring this forward. The second step he took was to invite both miners and coal proprietors, when it was resolved to frame such a bill, to make any suggestions. At the same time he did not bind the department to incorporate the suggestions in the new bill. A large number of suggestions had been sent, and he thanked those who had forwarded them. Many of them would be incorporated in some form or other in the bill, but some of them would not, and amongst those that would not be incorporated was one of those submitted to-day. Proper steps would be taken to ensure the fulfilment of the law, but no steps would be taken to instruct any inspector of coalfields, in the event of non-fulfilment, to at once institute criminal proceedings against anybody. A clause of that character would be so obnoxious that no Parliament would pass it into law. Circumstances might occur where the law would not be fulfilled, and yet no person might be criminally liable for its non-fulfilment. Such a provision as the following would jeopardise the bill:—"If, after an inspection, the accuracy of any plan is questioned by the inspector or examiner of coalfields, it shall be lawful for the inspector or examiner of coalfields to order a survey, so as to decide the matter; and if it has been found that an encroachment has been made, and coal or other mineral extracted, it will devolve upon the inspector of coalfields to at once apprise the owner or owners of same that such is the case, and he shall at once institute criminal proceedings." He must, with his sincere desire to pass this bill and clear knowledge of the necessity for passing it, hesitate before putting in any clause that would probably lead to its being thrown out. He took this action in the interests of the men who were employed in coal mining, and he would have provision made in the bill that when the law was disregarded steps should be taken to punish those who disregarded it. (Hear, hear.) With regard to the copy or tracing of any plan, he did not think they could go so far as set forth here, but it would certainly be made very clear that the tracing should be open to inspection. In the case of any proceedings arising, of course that plan would be produced in Court, and a clause would be provided to make it easy to proceed against anybody who disobeyed the law. With reference to the mining under roads, he had frequently stated what his feelings were about that. When he informed them that he viewed with alarm what had taken place, they might rest assured that the Government would make the statute very clear indeed regarding this. Municipalities would be given the fullest powers to protect the streets and roads in their respective districts. He hoped in a short time to place the measure before Parliament, although he did not claim that it was a perfect measure, he thought it would be found that it had been framed with the object of protecting lives and property, and at the same time so as to operate not in anything like a tyrannical or unnecessarily harsh manner against those who had the employing of labour. The Government had two parties to serve in the matter as well as the country, and they desired to pass a reasonable measure—one under which people could safely invest their money in the development of coal mines, and one under which the practical miners could pursue their arduous occupation with some degree of safety.

### ADAMSTOWN RECREATION RESERVE.

Mr. Walker, M.L.A., the Mayor of Adamstown, and Alderman Weir interviewed the Minister for Mines yesterday respecting a promise of £300 for the improvement of the recreation reserve adjoining the town, which had been promised by Mr. Abigail's predecessor in office, and had not been forthcoming. The members of the deputation were anxious to know if anything stood in the way of their getting that sum.

Mr. Abigail said he believed some promise was made, but the land had not been dedicated as a reserve, and until the dedication took place no money could be granted out of the vote. The matter would be brought under the notice of the Lands Department, and upon the dedication being completed the claims of the people of Adamstown in the matter would not be overlooked in the next vote.

### RAILWAY FROM JERILDERIE TO DENILIQUIN

A deputation, representing the Deniliquin Railway League, was introduced to the Minister for Works yesterday afternoon by Mr. Barbour, M.L.A., with the object of urging on him the advisableness of constructing a railway from Jerilderie to Deniliquin. The deputation consisted of Messrs. Melville, Walker, and O'Sullivan, Ms.L.A.; Mr. Evans, chairman of the Deniliquin Railway League; Mr. Chandler, Mayor of Deniliquin; and Alderman Jamieson, of Deniliquin.

Mr. Barbour, having introduced the deputation, Mr. Evans presented a petition in favour of the line, signed by upwards of 400 residents of the district, and by a number of the principal Sydney merchants. The petition, which fully set forth the natural advantages of the district, and the importance of railway communication with it, has already appeared, in substance, in a previous issue of this paper.

Mr. Chandler pointed out that railway extension was required to develop the agricultural interests of the district, which was a very fertile one. They wished to reach their own natural market, the back country lying behind Hay, where agricultural produce could not be grown, and to obtain access to which a railway line was necessary. The line would also place the district in communication with Sydney, which was very desirable, not only from a patriotic but commercial point of view, as the residents wished to trade with Sydney instead of with Melbourne, but were debarred from doing so by the high rates of cartage and the bad roads. The sleepers required for the line could be obtained from the gum forests in the neighbourhood at a very low rate.

Mr. Jamieson also spoke in favour of the line, and pointed out that the Sydney traders were in favour of it. He urged that as there was no properly constructed main road, it would be less expensive to put down a railway instead of making a road, to properly construct which would cost more than a railway. The principal landholders of the district had not only offered to give the land required for the line free: but some of them had offered to subsidise it, one gentleman having offered to give £1000, and another gentleman £500. The district was a well known wheat-producing one, but there was at present no means of disposing of the produce.

Mr. Barbour also spoke strongly in favour of the line, stating that instead of benefiting Melbourne, as many people supposed would be the case if the line were constructed, it would be found that much of the trade which now went to Melbourne would be diverted to Sydney.

Mr. Melville and Mr. O'Sullivan, as gentlemen who had visited the district, corroborated the statements of the other members of the deputation.

Mr. Sutherland said that the representations they had made to him and the petition which they had presented, would be duly considered, and he would have a report made on the scheme. His duty was simply to collect evidence, and lay it before the Cabinet, and he would have this done.

### THE COLONIAL MANUFACTURE OF LOCOMOTIVES.

A deputation representing the principal colonial manufacturers of locomotives was introduced to the Minister for Works yesterday morning by Mr. Jacob Garrard, M.L.A., in reference to the tenders for locomotives which were called for by the Government some months ago. The deputation consisted of Messrs. Hawthorne, F. Smith, and Jeanneret, M.L.A., Franki, H. Hudson, Mort, Vale, Morris, Edgerton, and Captain Broomfield.

Mr. Garrard, in introducing the deputation, said that the question was a vexed one, and he would not go over the ground again. The Parliament had, some months ago, decided that a certain number of locomotives should be manufactured in the colony, and tenders had been called for them. The gentlemen present represented the principal engineering firms of the colony, who had tendered for these locomotives, and they were tired at the delay in coming to a decision. In addition, they had heard murmurs, through the press and otherwise, that an officer of the Government proposed to have these locomotives manufactured in the Government workshops. The deputation had come to show reason why this should not be done, as the Government should not compete with private enterprise any more than could be helped.

Mr. H. Hudson said that it was something like five months since the tenders had been first submitted for these locomotives. Their business to-day was to get some information as to what was likely to be the result of the labour they had gone to preparing these tenders. Of course they knew that the work was a very important one, and were quite prepared to wait any reasonable time; but they thought that five months was long enough for a decision to be arrived at. It had been reported that the engines were going to be made in the Government workshops; but he hoped that this was not going to be done, as it would not be desirable for many reasons, and would most seriously interfere with the relations between capital and labour. If private competition could be entrusted to make the railroads, they could surely trust private competition to make the engines to run on them. In Victoria the locomotives for the department were made in private workshops, and he submitted that the engineering works in New South Wales were not behind those in Victoria.

Captain Broomfield, as the representative of Mort's Dock Engineering Company, also addressed the Minister. He said that if the Government would pay 5 per cent. as a bonus on the cost of the engines, they would be prepared to undertake their construction.

Mr. Hawthorne expressed his sympathy with the objects of the deputation, and said that he was present to assist them in having these locomotives built in the workshops round Sydney. He maintained that the Government could not manufacture locomotives at the same price as the private workshops.

Mr. F. Smith and Mr. Jeanneret also spoke in support of the request of the deputation.

Mr. Sutherland, in reply, said that he did not know that he could say anything more than he had done on a previous occasion. The matter was a difficult one to decide, and nothing had been done up to the present. He had always been in favour of this class of work being done in the colony, if it could be made at anything like the same price as the imported article. It had been said that the Government intended to manufacture these engines in the workshops at Eveleigh, but the fact was that the Government had come to no decision as yet. The prices which the colonial tenderers had sent in were much above what the Government expected, and if the engines were to be made by contract they would have to come from the other side of the water. Since he had been in office everything which he had had manufactured in the colony had been made cheaper than the imported article, and therefore he was rather surprised that he was in this position with regard to these engines. He did not want to have these locomotives manufactured in the Government workshops if they could be made in the private shops, but rather than let them go out of the colony, he would have the work done in the Government workshops. As far as he was concerned, the object of employing the people on our own manufactures would be gained in either case, as long as the work could be done at or near the price for which the engines could be imported, and he would not have the work done in the colony on any other principle. The local manufacturers had had an opportunity of tendering, and their tenders were much higher than those from abroad. The question would simply be for the Government to consider whether they would give a large bonus to the manufacturers of the country for this work or not. He had given his opinion on this before to-day, and would never advise its being done, but at the same time he would never advise going out of the country for the work if it could be avoided.

Mr. Hawthorne asked Mr. Sutherland if he would consider the proposition made by a member of the deputation, to manufacture these locomotives for 5 per cent. on the outlay.

Mr. Sutherland said that he would put this offer fairly before the Government, but would prefer to have the offer made in writing.

### TRAMWAY TO ADAMSTOWN.

A deputation representing the Adamstown Borough Council waited on the Minister for Works yesterday afternoon, to request that the Minister would construct a tram-line from Broadmeadows to Adamstown. Messrs. Walker and Melville, Ms.L.A., introduced the deputation, and pointed out the advantages which would accrue from the construction of this work, which would serve a largely populated and important district. The construction of a circular line was advocated, starting from Broadmeadows, and thence to Adamstown and the Glebe, returning to Newcastle by the Honeysuckle-road. The route suggested was pointed out to the Minister on a map.

Mr. Sutherland suggested that a marked plan showing the route the deputation proposed should be sent in to him, and he would then give the matter his fullest consideration.

### THE WHALING-ROAD.

A deputation of residents of North Shore, introduced by Mr. I. E. Ives, M.L.A., waited upon the Hon. Thomas Garrett (Minister for Lands) yesterday afternoon to ask that steps might be taken by the Government to open the Whaling-road. Mr. Garrett, in reply to the deputation, pointed out that some years ago the question of opening this road was referred to the Crown Law Officers for an opinion. Since then nothing further had been done in the matter. He had again referred the question to the same authorities, and until he had received the necessary report from them he could not deal with it.

### HARP-STREET, CANTERBURY.

A deputation, consisting of Messrs. Carruthers, Hutchinson, and Henson, Ms.L.A., and some of the aldermen of Caterbury, waited upon the Hon. Thomas Garrett (Minister for Lands) yesterday, for the purpose of asking the Government to open Harp-street, Canterbury, a thoroughfare running parallel with Canterbury-road, between Sharp-street and Northcote-street. Mr. Garrett, in reply to the deputation, stated that the Government would be prepared to open a portion of this thoroughfare provided the local council fulfilled their part of the contract. He pointed out that the council undertook to pay any demand for compensation made on the proclamation, in the event of valid objections to the alignment being made. Objections had been raised, but the council had not carried out their agreement, and until the obligations were fulfilled the Government could do nothing.

### REQUIREMENTS OF PADDINGTON.

A deputation, consisting of the Mayor and aldermen of the Paddington municipality, waited upon the Hon. Thomas Garrett (Minister for Lands) yesterday and asked that steps might be taken by the Government to resume a portion of a Chinaman's garden, in order that Cambridge-street might be continued from the Glenmore-road to the New South Head-road. Mr. Garrett, in reply to the deputation, stated that a very strong case would have to be made out before the Government could do anything in this matter. It was quite clear that a large amount of money would have to be expended upon it, and he would advise the Municipal Council of Paddington to interview the owner of the property, and ascertain all the necessary particulars respecting it. They might then forward the particulars to the Government. At present he could not say whether the Government would do anything in the matter or not.

### REMOVAL OF THE CITY POLICE COURT.

The Mayor of Sydney (Alderman A. J. Riley), and Aldermen Palmer, Hart, Hardie, Burdekin, Jones, Poole, Meeks, Buckle, Jeanneret, Taylor, Macmahon, J. Young, Playfair, and the Town Clerk (Mr. Daniels), waited upon the Premier yesterday in reference to the removal of the City Police Court and lock-up.

The Mayor, who introduced the deputation, read the resolution passed by the City Council on the 7th instant, requesting the Government to remove the City Police Court and watchhouse, and throw the site open for some suitable memorial of the centenary year, under the auspices of the council. He considered that the time had arrived when that portion of the city covered by the unsightly police court and markets should be improved, and that was the general desire of the representatives of the citizens. They had no wish to enter into conflict with the Government regarding the site, they only wanted to assist the Government in beautifying the locality. They wanted the Government to take down the buildings referred to and erect something that would be a worthy memorial of the centenary; and when that was done the city corporation would undertake the responsibility of maintaining it in good order ever afterwards. [Sir Henry Parkes: Do you want the Government to erect buildings at public cost?] That was their wish.

Alderman Burdekin said he hoped the site would not be used for market purposes. He believed that it was ultimately intended for an underground railway. There was no reason now, however, why the square should not be given up to the city for ornamental purposes.

Alderman Meeks considered it would be a great boon to the city to have the site of the police court and lock-up handed over to the corporation, so that it might be made beautiful.

Alderman J. Young pointed out that while a new police court was being erected a temporary structure could be put up on the present site to answer the requirements. He hoped to see the old buildings now standing there pulled down very soon.

Sir Henry Parkes, in reply, said that the object of the deputation, as he understood it, was to ascertain whether the Government was disposed to give up the land occupied by the Central Police Office. If the Government decided on such a step being taken, he thought they might leave the council to pull down the building, at the same time charging them (the council) for the bricks. (Laughter.) He promised that the application to give up the site to the corporation would be considered by the Government. In regard to erecting a temporary building, he had no doubt that during the centennial year the people would behave themselves so well that there would be no use for a police court. (Laughter.)

### GRIEVANCE OF THE BOTANY DAIRYMEN.

A deputation from the Botany dairymen, consisting of Messrs. Schey, M.L.A., R. Peel, J. Sawle, jun., C. A. Garden, and A. Laycock, interviewed the Premier yesterday on the subject of their water supply.

Mr. Schey, who introduced the deputation, said the dairymen came to protest against the action being taken by the police in carrying out what, it was assumed, were the instructions of the Board of Health. They considered the police were acting in a most unreasonable and unjustifiable manner. While the dairymen acknowledged that it was perfectly right in the interests of the public health to remove or destroy anything of a dangerous character, they were inclined to think that the police were exceeding their powers in peremptorily ordering them to destroy their wells. The police entered their premises, and without giving any notice took samples of water, and then compelled the dairymen to destroy their wells, so that the water could not be used for any purpose whatever. Many of the dairies had no other water supply, and it was a great hardship to them to be compelled to destroy their wells in such a fashion.

Sir Henry Parkes: Have the police in the case of any of you destroyed a well?

Mr. Sawle: Yes, sir [handing the Premier the notice he received]. They compelled me to pull down the pump and throw the bricks into the well. They said I could not use the water for any purpose whatever until the water was analysed. I could mention a dozen men who have had their wells closed in a similar way.

Sir Henry Parkes: The only thing I can say is that I will have the matter inquired into at once. I will send for the Inspector-General of Police, and probably see some member of the Board of Health to see what can be done. I am very sorry that you should be submitted to any hardship. If it is necessary for the public health that your wells should be destroyed, you are entitled to every consideration in getting some other water supply.

### RANDWICK POLICE PROTECTION.

Messrs. Allen and Trickett, Ms.L.A., and the Mayor of Randwick waited on the Premier yesterday, and requested that they should have two more policemen at that place. They had but three at present, one of whom was the watch-house-keeper. Mr. Trickett said the Inspector-General of Police had admitted the necessity for more police in the Eastern suburbs.

Sir Henry Parkes promised to see the Inspector-General of Police on the matter.

### THE "UNEMPLOYED" AT ADAMSTOWN.

Mr. Walker, M.L.A., and Aldermen Evans (Mayor of Adamstown) and Ware waited on the Premier yesterday, and asked that the "unemployed" at Adamstown might be allowed to continue work there on the usual conditions—the Government paying half the wages for two months longer.

Sir Henry Parkes, in reply, acceded to their request, but said it would only be for two months longer.

### THE METROPOLITAN HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

A deputation, representing the Metropolitan Horticultural Society, consisting of Messrs. Burdekin, M.L.A., Alderman J. Young, S. C. Lindley, H. Pain, J. H. Beatson, and Captain Bloomfield, requested the Premier yesterday to give the society an annual subsidy, on the usual conditions of pound for pound of revenue. They claimed that they were entitled to subsidy, and pointed out that similar societies in Melbourne, Brisbane, and Adelaide were subsidised by their respective Governments. Their revenue last year was £340.

Sir Henry Parkes promised to submit the request for consideration to his colleagues.

### THE CHINESE IN TRAMCARS.

A deputation representing the Botany Progress Association was introduced to the Minister for Works yesterday morning by Messrs. Stevens and Schey, Ms.L.A., with the object of drawing attention to an evil on the Botany tram which was now becoming intolerable—the mixing of the Chinese with European passengers on the tram-cars. The Chinese travelled in large numbers, and their presence was frequently most objectionable. The by-laws provided that any passenger who was offensive to other passengers might be removed from the tram-car, but there was no provision made for removing them to any other part of the cars. The deputation therefore asked that regulations should be issued by which a separate compartment would be set apart for Chinese passengers, in which they might be compelled to travel. It was pointed out that great danger existed to the public health by allowing the Chinese to ride in the cars, disseminating the disease germs with which the clothing of many of them was saturated. The deputation also asked that the sanitary regulations which were enforced with regard to the European portion of the population should also be enforced with Chinese, as it was absolutely necessary that their dwelling-houses should be inspected, and that they should be made to live in the same way as the European population.

Mr. Sutherland, in reply, said that the matter was a very awkward one to interfere with further than they had already done. Some of the Chinese, it was admitted, were quite respectable and cleanly. He agreed with the deputation with regard to the necessity for inspection of the Chinese quarters. As far as the Chinese passengers on the tram-cars were concerned, the Government had ample power to deal with the matter under the by-laws, if the conductors carried out their duty. He would consult with the Commissioner, and would do the best he could to assist them in the matter, and he would consider whether a separate compartment could be set apart for Chinese.

### THE BOTANY TRAM.

A deputation from residents of Redfern, consisting of the Rev. H. Mack and several other gentlemen, waited on the Minister for Works yesterday morning. The object of the deputation, as explained by the members of it, was to protest against the proposed extension of the two-penny section on the Botany tram from the corner of Castlereagh-street and Redfern-street to the Botany-road. It was considered by the deputation that this alteration was not desirable, and was not asked for by the travelling public. Under the present arrangement there was every convenience and provision for passengers waiting at the end of the section, but if the length of the section were altered, this would not be the case. The extension would make the first section on this line out of all proportion in length with the first sections on other lines.

Mr. Sutherland, in reply, said that this alteration had been asked for by the public of Redfern, and had been carried out by the department at their request. Now, the very day before the alteration took place, they were asked to alter it; but this could not be done at once. He could not accede to their request now, as he would have to give the new alteration a fair trial first.

### EDEN TO BEGA RAILWAY.

A deputation representing the Eden and Bega districts was introduced to the Minister for Works yesterday morning by Mr. H. Clarke, M.L.A. The deputation consisted of Mr. Garvan, M.L.A.; Mr. Reden, Mayor of Bega; and Mr. Neilly, representing the Eden league.

Mr. Clarke, in introducing the deputation, explained that its object was to obtain an expression of opinion from the Minister with regard to the continuation of the coast railway system to Bega. A petition in favour of the line, and statistics with regard to the district, had already been laid before the Minister, and it would be unnecessary for him to go into it again. The continuation of the line would be of great benefit to the district, and it had already passed the House in 1884. The plans and specifications were, he believed, now ready, and it only required the sanction of the Ministry to go on with the work.

Mr. Garvan spoke with reference to the great importance of the district, and pointed out that the large quantity of produce which would be sent from the district would make the railway remunerative. The Government had also sold a large quantity of land in the district, and this gave it an addional claim for the railway. Then they had a magnificent port, the best in the southern portion of New South Wales, and the railway was justifiable on this basis. He strongly urged on the Minister the construction of this line.

The other members of the deputation also addressed the Minister in favour of the construction of the line.

Mr. Sutherland said that they knew very well that he could not give them an answer at once, as all he had to do was simply to collect the best evidence he could with regard to the line, and lay it before the Cabinet, who had to decide whether the line should be constructed or not. He had now through their assistance a great deal of information with regard to the line, which he would put before the Cabinet.

### THE OLD CANTERBURY-ROAD.

A deputation from the Petersham Borough Council was introduced to the Minister for Works yesterday morning by Mr. Davis, M.L.A., with the object of drawing the Minister's attention to the deplorable state of the Old Canterbury Road. The road, it was stated by the several members of the deputation, passed through the Borough of Petersham, and also through Ashfield and the centre of Canterbury. The sum allowed to the Petersham Corporation—£75 per annum—for maintaining the road was not anything like sufficient to keep it in order, and unless the Government could increase the sum the council would be obliged to decline accepting the responsibility of looking after the road.

Mr. Sutherland said that he had been over this road himself, and it certainly was in a very bad state. There was, however, no money in the Treasury for the roads, as every halfpenny voted for the remainder of this year had been distributed. He would promise, however, to consider the matter when the Estimates were being prepared, and this was all he could do for them.

## *NORTH WILLOUGHBY COUNCIL.*

A meeting of the ratepayers of North Willoughby was held at the School of Arts, Mowbray-road, yesterday evening, for the purpose of enabling the two gentlemen who were getting a petition signed, asking the Government to have a special audit of the accounts of the borough, to explain to the ratepayers their reasons for such action, and to enable the council and auditors of the borough to explain what a special audit meant, and that such special audit was not required. Mr. Frank Treatt was elected to the chair, and the following gentlemen occupied seats on the platform. Aldermen Thomas Forsyth (Mayor), Simpson, Welch, Fleming, and Mr. Anderson, council clerk. About fifty ratepayers attended the meeting.

The Chairman briefly opened the meeting, pointing out the importance of the occasion. He then read the clauses of the Municipal Act which referred to the holding of special audits.

Mr. Launders said that his reasons for requiring a special audit were because he thought such an inquiry as that authorised under the 184th clause of the Municipal Act of 1867 would be highly beneficial in correcting any possible infringements or omissions by the council in connection with its provisions. The inquiry, he believed, was highly necessary at present, the council having already borrowed £3000, and being about to borrow £2000 more at once, and because they were contemplating, it was rumoured, obtaining authority for a further loan of £10,000. He stated that the records and papers, &c., of the council were kept in a small back room in the private dwelling of the council clerk. The council clerk also, it was understood, gave no security. He maintained that the check on the receipt of moneys by the council clerk was most defective, as the receipt was written on the rate-papers themselves, instead of a special receipt-book being kept, as was the case in other municipalities.

Mr. Hobson said that he based his claim for a special audit, partly on the assertions of the aldermen and partly on his personal observations of the method of conducting the council's business during the past two years. He considered that the ordinary meetings of the council were conducted in a go-as-you-please style in which the council clerk did all the talking and the aldermen all the listening. The reasons for a special audit embodied in the petition to his Excellency were as follows:—"1. That the council's auditors, in their report dated September, 1886, stated 'that no running account of the rates and taxes which should show in a simple form the amount of taxes and out-standing debts at the end of each half-year has been appended to the statement of revenue and expenditure, and your auditors consequently feel justified in assuming that a check over the outstanding rates is looked after by the mayor and aldermen themselves.' 2. According to the statement of Alderman Palmer, no cash book is kept by the City Council. 3. At the council meeting held on September 18, Alderman Welch stated that in consequence of the clerk not keeping a proper tender book, the treasurer had signed cheques for large payments about which he knew nothing. He thought these were good and sufficient grounds for the proceedings he had taken. He had made inquiries about the cost of an audit, and found that an audit extending over the past seven years would only cost about £50. The outlay was small, and he thought that there was no gainsaying it was a necessary one.

Alderman Forsyth said that the Council had only decided to borrow £2000 at the last council meeting, whilst the petition had been in circulation for some weeks. Yet the borrowing of this money was given as one of the reasons for calling for an audit. The audit would cost more than £50, and if Mr. Hobson would pay what it cost over that sum, he (the speaker) would be willing to consent to the audit.

Alderman Fleming said that the gentlemen, believing the accounts were wrong, should have called a public meeting to inquire into the matter. With regard to the audit, he had written to Newcastle, where they had been foolish enough to call for a special audit, and found that the audit taken there in 1870 cost £700, which the council were called upon to pay. How could a gentleman come here and tell them that an audit could be taken for £50? The audit would have to extend over the whole time the borough had been in existence—22 years—and could not be taken for seven years only. He contended that the money which would be spent in this special audit would be far better laid out improving the roads and giving employment to the people. The accounts had been thoroughly gone through by the auditors of the borough. They had been told that the council intended to borrow £10,000, but he might tell them that the council had no power to do it. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. Ludowiser also addressed the meeting, protesting against the taking of a special audit as unnecessary and expensive

Alderman Welch suggested that if the ratepayers thought there was anything wrong with the council's books, they should appoint there or four of their number to examine the books, and then, if there appeared to be anything irregular in them, they could call for a special audit, and he would not object to it.

Alderman Simpson expressed his entire confidence in the work done by the council.

Mr. Small, as one of the borough auditors, said that he had never examined a set of books which were kept more correctly than the books of this borough.

After some further discussion, Mr. Muston moved,—"That this meeting recommend the Mayor and aldermen to vote a sum of not exceeding £50 for the investigation of the council's books for the last five years, by a public accountant"

Mr. Roberts seconded the motion; and an amendment moved by Asher, and seconded by Mr. Sanderson, to the effect that a special audit be asked for, was put to the meeting and lost. The original motion was then put to the meeting and lost by nine votes to seven.

Mr. Anderson, Council Clerk, then briefly addressed the meeting in refutation of some of the charges which had been made against him. The meeting shortly afterwards terminated with a vote of thanks to the chairman.

## *THE LICENSED DRIVERS AND MR. ADDISON.*

A public meeting of licensed drivers was held in the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, last evening, for the purpose of taking into consideration the reply of the Minister for Justice to the deputation of licensees who waited upon him relative to a recent decision of Mr. G. W. F. Addison, S.M., at the Water Police Court. The chair was occupied by Mr. C. Prince. There was a fair attendance. It will be remembered that after the deputation had placed their grievances before the Minister, a reply was received by Mr. Mansfield and others from Mr. Clarke, to the effect that Mr. Addison denied the charges that had been preferred against him of having dealt injustly in certain cases which were mentioned to the Minister, and that he (Mr. Clarke) was perfectly satisfied with the explanations furnished by the magistrate in regard to the matters complained of by the deputation.

The Chairman, who was well received, said it was with a feeling of pleasure that he presided over the meeting, because he thought an injustice had been done to the drivers (Hear, hear.) He considered the injustice they complained of ought to be remedied at once. (Hear, hear.) He was sorry to find that out of a body of men numbering over 2000 more of them had not made an effort to attend the meeting in order to consider matters which vitally affected their own interests. He concluded by reading the reply of the Minister for Justice to the deputation.

Mr. Thomas Westlake moved the first resolution, which read as follows,—"That this meeting desires to enter its protest against the reply given to the deputation of licensed drivers by the Hon. W. Clarke (Minister for Justice) relative to the remarks of Mr. G. W. F. Addison, S.M., to licensed drivers when summoned at the Police Courts." The speaker said that the drivers wanted justice dealt out to them, and if they had this they would be perfectly satisfied. After referring to certain disabilities under which he said the cabmen and others laboured, he stated that he had been very unjustly dealt with at the Water Police Court two or three weeks ago. He was summoned by a Transit Commission officer for leaving his horse in the street. He appeared at the court, and the magistrate (Mr. Addison) told him that if he pleaded not guilty and he found him guilty, he would scratch out the fine he had already recorded against another man and fine him double." The consequence was that the man before him was fined £1, with 5s. costs, and he (the speaker) was fined £2, with the court costs, immediately afterwards for the very same offence, simply because he would not plead guilty. He thought that when poor men like the drivers were taken to the court the magistrates should be inclined to assist them when they had no lawyer, as many of them could not afford to pay a solicitor to watch their interests.

Mr. F. B. Mansfield seconded the resolution. As one of the deputation that waited upon the Minister for Justice, he did not consider it was right for that gentleman to send a reply worded in such terms to a body of men like the licensed drivers. (Hear, hear.) That reply made it appear that the members of the deputation went to the Minister with falsehoods in their mouths. In answer to that, he could say that no member of the deputation would make a wrongful accusation against any magistrate. (Hear, hear.) He knew from past experience that it was a common thing for Mr. Addison to deal in a hard manner with the cabmen. He had heard him say to the men who were brought before him, "Go on; follow your leader, and I will fine you double." The drivers had been treated unjustly by a man whom he considered to be little less than a tyrant on the bench.

The resolution was unanimously agreed to.

Mr. J. Downey moved,—"That a petition, signed by the chairman of this meeting, on behalf of the licensed drivers of Sydney, be presented to the Legislative Assembly, asking for the appointment of a select committee to inquire into the conduct of Mr. G. W. Addison, S.M., relative to remarks made by him in his capacity as magistrate when adjudicating in the Police Courts re licensed drivers." (Applause.)

Mr. W. Armstrong seconded the resolution, which was carried amidst great applause. A gentleman named Cook here informed the meeting that he could corroborate what had been said by Mr. Westlake, as he was in Court at the time Mr. Addison spoke to him.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chairman.

## *THE TARIFF.*

The collection of the ad valorem duties and of the duties on many articles on the specific list of the old tariff ceased from yesterday. The following is a complete list of the duties under the new tariff:—

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| Bacon ... | per lb. | 0 | 2 |
| Bay rum—(see spirits). | | | |
| Beer, ale porter, spruce or other beer, cider, and perry— | | | |
| In wood or jar ... | per gallon | 0 | 6 |
| In bottle ... | ditto | 0 | 9 |
| For six reputed quarts, or twelve reputed pints ... | ditto | 0 | 9 |
| Biscuits—other than ship ... | per lb. | 0 | 1 |
| Bitters—(see sarsaparilla). | | | |
| Butter ... | ditto | 0 | 1 |
| Cakes—(see confectionery). | | | |
| Candied fruits ... | ditto | 0 | 2 |
| Candles per lb., or reputed package of that weight, and so in proportion for any such reputed weight, and stearine | ditto | 0 | 1 |
| Cement ... | per barrel | 2 | 0 |
| Cheese, bacon, and hams ... | per lb. | 0 | 2 |
| Chicory, dandelion, and taraxicum— | | | |
| Raw, or kiln-dried ... | ditto | 0 | 3 |
| Roasted ground, or mixed with any other article ... | ditto | 0 | 6 |
| Chocolate—plain, or mixed with any other article, and chocolate creams ... | ditto | 0 | 4 |
| Cider—(see beer). | | | |
| Cigars ... | ditto | 6 | 0 |
| Cigarettes (including wrappers) ... | ditto | 6 | 0 |
| Cornflour and maizena ... | ditto | 0 | 1 |
| Cocoa— | | | |
| Raw, without allowance for husks or shells ... | ditto | 0 | 3 |
| Prepared paste, or mixed with any other article ... | ditto | 0 | 4 |
| Cocoanut in sugar (see confectionery). | | | |
| Coffee— | | | |
| Raw ... | ditto | 0 | 3 |
| Roasted, ground, or mixed with any other article ... | ditto | 0 | 6 |
| Comfits—(see confectionery) | | | |
| Confectionery (including cakes, comfits, liquorice, liquorice paste, lozenges of all kinds, cocoanut in sugar, sugar candy, succades, and sweetmeats ... | ditto | 0 | 2 |
| Doors—(see timber). | | | |
| Dynamite—(see powder). | | | |
| Essences, flavouring, and fruit containing not more than 25 per cent. of proof spirit ... | per gallon | 4 | 0 |
| Containing more than 25 per cent. of proof spirit ... | ditto | 14 | 0 |
| Fish, dried, preserved or salt ... | per lb. | 0 | 1 |
| Florida water—(see spirits). | | | |
| Fruits—Dried and candied (exclusive of dates) ... | ditto | 0 | 2 |
| Gasoline ... | per gallon | 0 | 6 |
| Galvanised iron—(see iron). | | | |
| Galvanised manufactures—(see iron). | | | |
| Glucose— | | | |
| Liquid and syrup ... | per cwt. | 3 | 4 |
| Solid ... | ditto | 5 | 0 |
| Hams ... | per lb. | 0 | 2 |
| Iron— | | | |
| Galvanised, in bars, sheets, or corrugated ... | per ton | 40 | 0 |
| Iron and steel wire ... | ditto | 20 | 0 |
| Galvanised manufactures (except anchors) ... | ditto | 60 | 0 |
| Jams—Per lb., or reputed package of that weight, and so in proportion for any such reputed weight ... | per lb. | 0 | 1 |
| Jellies—(see preserves). | | | |
| Liquorice and liquorice paste—(see confectionery). | | | |
| Lithofracteur—(see powder). | | | |
| Lozenges of all kinds—(see confectionery). | | | |
| Maizena ... | ditto | 0 | 1 |
| Milk, condensed or preserved ... | ditto | 0 | 1 |
| Molasses—(see sugar) | | | |
| Naphtha and gasoline ... | per gallon | 0 | 6 |
| Oils, except black, cocoanut, and sperm and palm ... | ditto | 0 | 6 |
| In bottle— | | | |
| Reputed quarts ... | per dozen | 1 | 6 |
| Reputed pints ... | ditto | 0 | 9 |
| Reputed half-pints and smaller sizes ... | ditto | 0 | 5 |
| Opium, and any preparation or solution thereof, not imported for use as a known medicine ... | per lb. | 20 | 0 |
| Paints and varnish— | | | |
| Paints and colours, ground in oil ... | per cwt. | 5 | 0 |
| Varnish and lithographic varnishes | per gallon | 2 | 6 |
| Perfumed spirits—(see spirits). | | | |
| Perfumed water—(see spirits). | | | |
| Perry—(see beer). | | | |
| Powder and shot— | | | |
| Sporting powder ... | per lb. | 0 | 3 |
| Blasting powder ... | ditto | 0 | 1 |
| Dynamite and lithofracteur ... | ditto | 0 | 1 |
| Shot ... | per cwt. | 5 | 0 |
| Preserves, jellies, and fruits boiled, in pulp or partially preserved other than by sulphurous acid ... | per lb. | 0 | 1 |
| Rice ... | per ton | 60 | 0 |
| Sago, tapioca, and semolina ... | per lb. | 0 | 1 |
| Salt ... | per ton | 20 | 0 |
| Sarsaparilla and bitters— | | | |
| If containing not more than 25 per cent. of proof spirit ... | per gallon | 4 | 0 |
| If containing more than 25 per cent. of proof spirit ... | ditto | 14 | 0 |
| Sashes—(see timber) | | | |
| Semolina ... | per lb. | 0 | 1 |
| Sheepwash—(see tobacco) | | | |
| Shot—(see powder) | | | |
| Shutters—(see timber) | | | |
| Snuff—(see tobacco) | | | |
| Spirits—On all kinds of spirits imported into the colony the strength of which can be ascertained by Sykes' hydrometer ... | per proof gallon | 14 | 0 |
| No allowance beyond 16·5 shall be made for the underproof of any spirits of a less hydrometer strength than 16·5 under proof. | | | |
| On all spirits and spirituous compounds imported into the colony the strength of which cannot be ascertained by Sykes' Hydrometer ... | per liquid gallon | 14s | 0d |
| Case spirits—reputed contents of two, three, or four gallons shall be charged—Two gallons and under, as two gallons. Over two gallons and not exceeding three, as three gallons. Over three gallons and not exceeding four, as four gallons. | | | |
| Methylated ... | per gallon | 4 | 0 |
| Perfumed spirits, perfumed water, Florida water, and bay rum ... | per liquid gallon | 15 | 0 |
| Succades—(see confectionery). | | | |
| Sugar— | | | |
| Refined ... | per cwt. | 6 | 8 |
| Raw ... | ditto | 5 | 0 |
| Molasses and treacle ... | ditto | 3 | 4 |
| Sugar candy—(see confectionery). | | | |
| Sweetmeats—(see confectionery). | | | |
| Tea ... | per lb. | 0 | 3 |
| Tapioca ... | ditto | 0 | 1 |
| Timber (other than laths building, shingles, dyewoods, palings, undressed sandalwood, staves and casks in shooks)— | | | |
| Dressed ... | per 100ft. super. | 3 | 0 |
| Rough and undressed ... | ditto | 1 | 6 |
| Doors, sashes and shutters ... | each | 2 | 0 |
| Tobacco—Delivered from ship's side or from a Customs bond for home consumption—Manufactured, unmanufactured, and snuff ... | per lb. | 3 | 0 |
| Unmanufactured, entered to be manufactured in the colony. At the time of removal from a Customs bond or from an importing ship to any licensed tobacco manufactory for manufacturing purposes only into tobacco, cigars, or cigarettes ... | ditto | 1 | 0 |
| Sheepwash ... | ditto | 0 | 3 |
| Treacle—(See sugar) | | | |
| Varnish and Lithographic Varnish—(See paints and varnish) | | | |
| Wines— | | | |
| Sparkling—For six reputed quarts, or 12 reputed pints ... | | 10 | 0 |
| Other kinds ... | per gallon | 5 | 0 |
| Other kinds, for six reputed quarts, or 12 reputed pints ... | | 5 | 0 |
| Wire—Iron and steel—(See iron) | | | |

FREE GOODS.

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| Ship biscuits | Fruits—Preserved by Sulphurous acid |
| Dates | Building laths |
| Galvanised anchors | Shingles |
| Oils— | Dyewoods |
| Black | Palings |
| Cocoanut | Sandalwood (undressed) |
| Sperm | Staves |
| Palm. | Casks, in shooks. |

EXCISE.

| | | s. | d. |
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| Tobacco—Manufactured or cut ... | per lb. | 1 | 3 |
| Cigars and cigarettes ... | do. | 2 | 6 |
| Beer ... | per gallon | 0 | 3 |
| Colonial distilled spirit ... | per proof gallon | 14 | 0 |

## *OUR HARBOURS AND RIVERS VERSUS WATER MANAGEMENT AND USE.*

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—In olden times, and it appears up to the present, our harbours and rivers have been and are under one management, for although water conservation and irrigation are nominally relegated to the Mines Department, it appears that the control of all our rivers is more or less in the hands of the Harbours and Rivers Department. This state of things should be altered no doubt, and the harbours, with such rivers or parts thereof as are immediately in the "tidal way" should be quite enough for one set of engineers—as much, in fact, as they can manage.

The management of water in the great interior has become an all-important matter, and the class of engineers and managers required are altogether different in many regards to those required for harbours.

It has long been seen by men who look at the question from an enlightened platform, that the dealing with rain-fall and waters inland, must be altogether different from what it has been. It must be direct and speedy, else woe betide the country. One would almost say that there should be a water department, for no doubt that is, or will be required, either now or in the immediate future. At any rate, there must be directly responsible officers if anything sensible is to be done.

The delay in bringing forward a measure for "water conservation" is, doubtless, owing to division of opinion. The old management has little cause for congratulation, as much less could hardly have been done in the interior than has been done, the removal of a few logs, &c., being about the sum total. Probably there are valuable data which may be utilised by the conservation and irrigation engineers. Let the powers that be look into this matter, remodel the management if necessary, leave the harbours to the present very able staff, and appoint men to deal with inland waters who have special knowledge.

I am, &c.,
CONSERVATOR.

Fry's Malted Cocoa.—"An ordinary cup of Fry's Malted Cocoa contains more of the active properties of malt than a pint of the best ale or porter."—Lancet. Of all grocers and chemists.—Advt.]

## *ST. PETERS-LIVERPOOL RAILWAY.*

A public meeting of the residents of Canterbury was held in the Church of England school-room, Canterbury, last night, for the purpose of urging upon the Government the necessity of at once constructing the St. Peters-Liverpool railway. The chair was taken by Alderman Davis (mayor), and there was a large attendance of residents.

The Mayor, in opening the proceedings, said that the residents had been working away at this matter for a long time past, and many lines had been built since this was first mooted. It was, however, much wanted; and it would, he believed, pay from the date of its commencement. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. J. Slocombe moved,—"That petitions be drawn up for presentation to the Hon. the Colonial Secretary and Minister for Works; also the Hon. the Speaker and members of the Legislative Assembly, asking for the early construction of the St. Peters-Liverpool railway." He gave an outline of the agitation for the line, which commenced in the year 1883. Several gentlemen then formed themselves into a committee to induce the Government to construct the line. The first step was to get a petition presented to the Legislature. To this was attached 12,429 signatures, representing 35,429 persons. The outcome was that a number of surveys were made in all directions. Their business that night, however, was not to ask the Government to construct any particular line. All they wanted was a line from St. Peters to Liverpool. (Applause.) In September, 1883, the then Minister for Works was prepared to recommend the line, because it was much wanted. If it was wanted then, was it not wanted now? Between St. Peters and Liverpool there were 10,000 people living, whilst in Canterbury there were 3000. It took a man now two hours per day to get from Canterbury to Sydney and back, and at the end of the year that meant 624 hours travelling. This was rather more than a man should be expected to do. (Hear, hear.) Every Minister of Works had been in favour of this railway, but they were no further now than when they first started. Mr. Lyne, on leaving office, left a memorandum recommending the construction of the line, and he had been told that there were 90 members who would support it when the bill got into the House. Their first difficulty, however, was getting it there. They were not asking more than they were entitled to, and if all the residents worked hard in the matter they would soon get the railway carried through, because they were now unanimous in their desires.

Alderman Quigg seconded the motion, which was agreed to.

Mr. Owen Blacket, C.E., moved, and Alderman Brown seconded, and it was agreed to unanimously, that the following be the petition for presentation in accordance with the terms of the first resolution:—"The humble petition of the undersigned showeth that your petitioners in public meeting assembled, respectfully request your honorable House to take into your favourable consideration the advisability of giving your sanction for the early construction of the St. Peters-Liverpool railway for the following among other reasons:—1. That at the present time there is a population exceeding 4000 souls in the municipal district of Canterbury. 2. That your petitioners living within six miles of Sydney are compelled to lose upwards of two hours in daily transit to and from the city. 3. That your petitioners are living midway between the Illawarra and Southern and Western railways. 4. That the construction of above railway will open up a large suburban area, the carrying profits of which will help to subsidise some of the non-paying lines in the interior. 5. That the construction of proposed railway will shorten the distance between Liverpool and Sydney about six miles. 6. That your petitioners would also point out that nearly all the land-owners have signed a bond undertaking to transfer land required for above railway free of cost to the Government. 7. That your petitioners would also point out that in the event of any accident or block occurring on the present suburban line, the construction of above railway would not only relieve the present line of all the southern traffic, but leave another road open to Sydney. 8. Your petitioners humbly submit that living in a large suburban municipality adjacent to the metropolis, they have been unjustly treated in being debarred from railway communication with the city. And as in duty bound your petitioners will ever pray."

It was moved by Alderman M'Bean, seconded by Mr. J. Wren,—"That a deputation consisting of the members for Canterbury, the Mayor and Aldermen, with Messrs. Slocombe, Dunkley, P. Scahill, Wren, Willoughby, Best, Stone, Nicoll, and Redman, with power to add to their number, wait upon the hon. the Colonial Secretary, to give effect to the foregoing resolutions."

Alderman Johnson and Mr. J. Lewis having spoken, the motion was agreed to.

Mr. F. Williams moved, and Mr. P. Scahill, Jun., seconded, a vote of thanks to the chairman, and a like compliment having been paid to Alderman B. Taylor, the hon. secretary, the proceedings terminated.

## *THE ZOOLOGICAL SOCIETY.*

The monthly meeting of the council of the Zoological Society was held yesterday afternoon, at the rooms at the Zoological Gardens, Moore Park. There were present—Messrs. J. Keep (presiding), Captain Ghest, and Messrs. W. Beaumont, Charles Moore, and C. C. Skarratt.

The secretary reported that the receipts from the gates for the four weeks ending September 29 amounted to £127 9s. 6d., which represented the admission of 6084 visitors to the gardens, 4114 being adults and 1970 children. These numbers were exclusive of members and their friends. The receipts from the elephants amounted to £8 1s., and from the donkeys and ponies to £2 4s. 3d., bringing the total receipts for the four weeks to £137 14s. 9d. The gardens were also visited by 2669 Public school children, accompanied by 73 teachers being a total of 2742. The society has acquired by purchase Mr. W. H. Hartley's performing female elephant "Leby," which has already become a general favourite with the public; five pigtailed monkeys have also been purchased, and for the present have been placed in a cage lately occupied by the sun bear. Mrs. Malcolm of Wynyard-square, has deposited in the gardens, for six months, her pair of prairie dogs. These little rodents were very amusing in their habits.

The Rev. J. G. Wood, in his work on natural history, gives the following account of them:—"The prairie dog is a burrowing animal, and as it is very gregarious in its habits the spot on which it congregates is literally honeycombed with its tunnels. There is, however, a kind of order observed in the "dog towns," as these warrens are popularly called, for the animals always have certain roads or streets in which no burrow is made. The affairs of the community seem to be regulated by a single leader, called the "big dog," who sits before the entrance of his burrow and issues his orders from thence to the community. In front of every burrow a small heap of earth is raised, which is made from the excavated soil, and which is generally employed as a seat for the occupant of the burrow. As long as no danger is apprehended, the little animals are all in lively motion, sitting upon their mounds, or hurrying from one tunnel to another as eagerly as if they were transacting the most important business. Suddenly a sharp yelp is heard, and the peaceful scene is in a moment transformed into a whirl of indistinguishable confusion. Quick barks resound on every side; the air is filled with a dust-cloud, in the midst of which is indistinctly seen an intermingled mass of flourishing legs and whisking tails, and in a moment the populous 'town' is deserted, not a dog is visible, and the whole spot is apparently untenanted. But in a few minutes a pair of dark eyes are seen gleaming at the entrance of some burrow, a set of glistening teeth next shine through the dusky recess, and in a few minutes first one and then another prairie dog issues from his retreat, until the whole community is again in lively action. The mode by which this animal enters its burrow is very comical. It does not creep or run into the entrance, but makes a jump in the air, turning a partial somersault, flourishing its hind legs, and whisking its tail in the most ludicrous manner, and disappearing as if by magic."

Mrs. Malcolm's prairie dogs (or marmots) have been placed in a cage constructed for them near the bear pit, where they can burrow, and should they breed, the progeny is to belong to the society.

The most noteworthy donation received during the past month was from Mr. John Baptist, of Surry Hills, who very generously presented the society with 153 pot-plants for beautifying the gardens.

The following donations were reported since last monthly meeting:—Two golden and two silver hen pheasants, presented by J. Pemell, Randwick; opossums, by C. J. Palmer, Riverstone, A. J. Cummins, Victoria Barracks, and J. Henry, 750, George-street; hammer oyster, by T. Giblin, Sydney; two black swans, by the Government of N. S. W.; an echidna, by J. D. Partridge, Bathurst-street; Collection of (163) plants by J. Baptist, Surry Hills; two pigeons, from New Hebrides, by Captain Braithwaite, mission vessel Dayspring; an echnidna, by J. West, Appin; two peacocks, by J. F. Holle, 285, George-street; four native bears and two young ones, by G. J. P. Jackes, Armidale; and there had been purchased one monkey.

A number of tenders were opened for draining the lake, and it was resolved to refer them to Mr. Trevor Jones for his opinion. A gentleman named Platt, of San Francisco, wrote accepting the council's offer for the purchase of two pumas, and he also mentioned a lot of animals and birds he could let the council have at stated prices. The matter was left in the hands of Captain Ghest and Mr. Beaumont to consider. The matter of determining upon the new uniforms of the attendants was also left in the hands of the same gentlemen.

The superintendent reported that the condition of the stock during the past fortnight had been satisfactory. There had only been one death, that of one of the pelicans. He referred to the want of proper accommodation for the birds, that at present being unsatisfactory.

The Chairman drew attention to the large number of deaths in the stock during the winter, and it was resolved to ask the superintendent to be particularly careful of them in the future.

This concluded the business of the council.

## *MR. OSBORNE AT COWRA.*

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—You telegraphic report of my lecture at Cowra states that at the conclusion of the lecture "a shew of hands was called, which resulted in favour of free trade." This is an error, for the vote taken on the occasion was unmistakably in favour of protection, and was declared so to be by the chairman. I am, &c.,

September 29. JOHN OSBORNE.

The numerous medical testimonials and increasing use, after 30 years' trial, of Cadbury's Cocoa Essence proclaim its excellence as an article of diet.—[Advt.]

## AS YOU LIKE IT.

"Ay, marry, now unmuzzle your wisdom."—ROSALIND.

It was said of one of our old-time legislators, who had elevated the detail of Opposition tactics almost to the dignity of a science—the late Mr. William Forster—that even the Resurrection itself would have no countenance or encouragement from him unless he could "rise to a point of order." Has Mr. Forster's mantle fallen on the Hon. Thomas Garrett? or was Wednesday night's business with its innumerable interruptions ostensibly in the interests, but really in despite, of "order," only an example of that wholesome desipience which I have so often counselled as an alterative, when the system gets clogged by the secretions of wisdom. I can well understand that Mr. Garrett after his Land Bill birth pangs stands sorely in need of a change. Human nature must have its distractions, even when it takes the form of a legislator. Let no one therefore, not even Mr. Melville, call a member of Parliament engaged in thus relieving himself, an "irrepressible jackanapes." Of course this conjecture may be wide of the bull's eye—as is sometimes the misfortune of the best artists of hypothesis. And Mr. Garrett's risings to order may have been an experiment in some new scheme of governing Parliament, which might be called the *Deus ex machinâ* or Jack-in-the-box scheme. If this be the case, though I can hardly think it possible, I recommend this "old Parliamentary hand," to take the advice of a Roman gentleman who flourished a good many years ago—which the little boy belonging to Murga would perhaps translate. "Don't spring a Jack-in-the-box in the cat's face unless you catch her lapping the baby's milk, and you want to give her a big fright." But, apart from all other considerations, Mr. Garrett should have some consideration for Mr. Speaker, who is not at his best in smoothing out points even with "May" under his nose. It's bad enough to have to get the House out of the bogs and ruts on the highroad without having to stop the team every few minutes to roll stumps out of the way, which some mischievous fellow has been rolling into it.

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I suppose every man in Parliament is entitled to the privilege of interrupting every other man by rising to a point of order, or of disorder, as the privilege might perhaps be better named. But has it not been considered rather an Opposition man's weapon than a Minister's or a Ministerialist's? The dignity of office and its supposed responsibilities ought to stop Ministers, one would think, from starting up with quibbles and little demurrers, when an opponent is sharpening his teeth on some little tit-bit that he means to enjoy very much more, because some of his hearers will enjoy it very much less. Why not let the adversary have his say? In nine cases out of ten he will do himself more harm by being allowed his say than the "Pointer" opposite will do his side good by rising intermittently to a point of "order, Mr. Speaker," like a famished trout to a May fly. Every one tells me, nevertheless, that Mr. Garrett is a man of the rarest Parliamentary acumen, and knows more about the practice of Parliament than any half dozen legislators in the Assembly. It may be so. But there is such a thing as being too clever by half, especially when the cleverness is in that kind of fun at which two can play. No, I think that old Secretary of the Treasury—he died many years ago, was wiser in his generation than some of us degenerate politicians. "We must apply our majority to this case, gentlemen, it is too bad, too indefensible for argument." Points of order are a poor way of applying a majority, for the House, before it can do that, has (to use a most objectionable phrase) to "go dog" on its Speaker, which no House likes doing too often.

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It will soon become impossible to take up a newspaper without coming upon a fresh injustice—to Ireland? No, but to New South Wales. And, next to an injustice to Ireland, we of this colony feel an injustice to ourselves to follow in order of gravity. The other day Dr. Cameron Lees as good as told the world that this colony and its inhabitants could not be expected to make any sort of a mark in Australian history. And if Mr. Froude had a recognised right to speak, as he has spoken of us, in "Oceana," after an entire fortnight spent between the Australian Club and Admiral Tryon's flagship, surely a Scotch theologian, who is one of the best diners-out under Heaven, has a right to take up his parable after having abstained from putting even his sacerdotal great toe on our soil. And the injustice? Well, it is for Mr. Buckle, of the *Times*, to explain what he means by making us believe that her Majesty meant to endow us with a floating State House, ready built, and worth ever so much more than £150,000—to the end that we should always possess the means of transport for our "Soudan Expeditions," and use the vast ship for picnics of a "National or Representative Character" when the colony was at peace. And it's all a canard! Of course, the British Government can afford that Cabbage Garden a "Nelson" (to say nothing of a "Cerberus"), but "Nelsons" are not for New South Wales!—the future of Australia, as Dr. Cameron Lees (is Lees Scotch for l—e, by-the-bye?) wrote to the *Scotsman*, being in Victoria. "Wolverenes" are good enough for New South Wales! And so the State House will have to be built, after all?

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"Not if I know it," shouts Mr. Dibbs, leader of Her Majesty's Opposition—(no connection at present with the establishment at the other end of the street.) and, therefore, he gives notice of his intention to introduce a bill to abolish the State House, and spend that £150,000 over new Houses of Parliament. There is more sense about the proposal too than would strike us at first hearing. Everybody knows what the expansive or indiarubber clauses in the Electoral Act are. They have only been in operation six years or so, and have therefore not been productive of more than a couple of dozen members at most. But it is expected that in the course of a few years they will work more satisfactorily; and good judges tell me that you may put them down in five years' time as good for about eight dozen new members. Well, Mr. Dibbs very properly wants accommodation for these "expanders." They could not find perching-room (could they find standing-room?) in the present Chamber unless the Government packed away the Opposition in the big gallery opposite the Speaker—a course which seems to be without Parliamentary precedent, though in other respects convenient. Well, if we are to have it (the new Parliament House), I hope the building will be entrusted to some vulcanised indiarubber company, for the Chamber of the Representatives should harmonise in material with our stretchy Electoral Act. This is no structure for such rigid, intractable substances as granite and bronze.

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I am glad to observe that the City Council are beginning thoroughly to awaken to the intolerable nuisance which accompanies the advantages claimed for our system of wood-paving. In these days of high pressure almost everybody is afflicted with a consciousness that he has nerves; and never more so than when a couple of omnibuses happen to be in the same (wood-paved) street with him. Conversation in a cab is very nearly impossible; and if carried on probably results in relaxed sore throats to the conversationalists; while I have often wondered that we do not more often hear of assaults on the part of timid shop-keepers upon the apparently distraught persons who rush into shops and frantically shriek an unintelligible request for some quite ordinary commodity—a green and yellow necktie it may be, or a red parasol. I am quite sure that the Registrar-General will find that, after a few years of wood-pavements, the average expectation of life will be materially reduced in Sydney. The shrieking of trams and the civilities of the officials of our public gardens are already quite sufficient to keep up a condition of nervous irritation calculated to reduce our at present not exuberant vitality. We have goats, dogs, and cats and fireworks by day, and still more by night, and we shall shortly have to listen to the sorrowful instruments which mark the vendor of ice-creams. We have too, as I myself have reason to know, the nuisance of persons who sing in chorus upon tramcars, to which I was glad to see that a correspondent of yesterday's *Herald* has drawn attention. But all these are as nothing to the wood-pavements. The wood-pavements of London are almost silent; but they are said to propagate disease—being made of soft wood. Ours are of hard wood, and they propagate lunacy. I am very grateful to the Mayor for seeking to find a remedy; but I would venture to suggest that his proposed plan ought to be very carefully considered before it is adopted. An inch of sand will, no doubt, reduce the din until we get a heavy shower of rain. And then where will the sand go? Down the drains and into the harbour? I speak ignorantly, but I think I read some time ago that some parts of the harbour had already become silted to the extent of about one-half of the original depth. If we send an inch of sand into it from our wood-paved streets I doubt, like the carpenter, whether we shall get it clear, though 20 dredgers should work for half a year.

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## APPRAISEMENT OF RUNS IN THE CASINO DISTRICT.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

CASINO, FRIDAY.

The Land Court finished the appraisement of runs in the Casino district this week, as under:—Kyogle, 38,000 acres, 1½d. per acre for leasehold, and £2 per section for the resumed area; Ettrick and Forest, 59,500 acres, leasehold 1½d., and £2 for resumed area; head of Richmond 22,500 acres, leasehold 1d., resumed area £2 10s.; 5300 acres, leasehold 2d., and resumed area £2 10s; River-tree East, 15,976 acres, leasehold 1d.; Runnymede, 38,800 acres, leasehold 1d., resumed area £2; Rosebery, 64,400 acres, leasehold 1½d., resumed area £2; Sandilands, 58,000 acres, leasehold 1½d., resumed area, £2 5s.; Dyraaba, 163,000 acres, leasehold 1d., resumed area £2; Wyangarie, 103,300 acres, leasehold 1½d., resumed area £2 5s.; Tooloom and Woodenbung, 130,600 acres, leasehold 1½d., resumed area £2 17s. 6d.; Yulgilbar, 244,800 acres, leasehold 1½d., resumed area £2 7s. 6d.; Millera, 68,700 acres, leasehold 1d., resumed area £2; Fairfield, 28,150 acres, leasehold 1d., resumed area £2; Woorool woolgen, 233,460 acres, leasehold 1d., and resumed area £2; Tabulam, 162,700 acres, leasehold 1½d., and resumed area £2 17s. 6d.; Tomki, 2600 acres, leasehold 3d., and resumed area £2 10s.

## MR. JOHN OSBORNE AT GOULBURN.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

GOULBURN, FRIDAY.

Mr. John Osborne delivered a lecture in the Academy of Music to-night on the respective merits of free trade and protection. The attendance numbered about 500. Mr. Osborne received an appreciative and uninterrupted hearing, and at the close of his remarks a vote of thanks was accorded him. A motion to the effect that a policy of protection was necessary to the prosperity of this colony was carried unanimously. Mr. J. S. Hayes presided.

## GUNDAGAI PROGRESS COMMITTEE.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

GUNDAGAI, FRIDAY.

A meeting of the Gundagai Progress Committee was held last night, Mr. W. Bibo being in the chair. It was declared that as the Government had not seen its way clear to abolish the differential railway rates, the progress committee should ask that, in order to protect the business interests of the town, some concession be granted to the people of Gundagai. The chairman, who is one of the leading storekeepers here, read a paper on the subject, pointing out the great loss of trade that legitimately belonged to Gundagai, and the extra haulage of goods consigned to Tumut and Adelong by being sent to Wagga instead of to Gundagai. He also instanced the greater length of road which the Government have to keep in repair, the distance being from 50 to 70 miles instead of 20 miles, which would be the case if goods were carried from here. The committee have obtained the opinion of a mining expert to strengthen the hands of the member for the district, Mr. J. H. Want, in securing a portion of the prospecting vote. The opinion is to the effect that no district in the colony was more entitled than this to a portion of the vote. It was decided to take action with the view of having a School Board appointed.

## MASONIC INSTALLATION AT GUNDAGAI.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

GUNDAGAI, FRIDAY.

The masonic installation of the W.M. and officers of the Loyalty Lodge, 2073, E.C., Gundagai, took place to-day, when the following officers were duly installed:—W.M., Bro. Croker; S.W., Bro. Weekes; J.W., Bro. Matthews; S.D., Bro. M'Cabe; J. D., Bro. Bowdith; I.G., Bro. Somerville; Tyler, Bro. Dunlop. The officers and visitors from the adjoining lodges were entertained at luncheon, when the usual loyal and Masonic toasts were duly honoured. During the short time the lodge has been in existence it has made rapid progress, and is now established with a promising future.

## PLOUGHING MATCH AT MERILLA.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

GOULBURN, FRIDAY.

The sixth annual ploughing match of the Merilla, Mummell, and Parkesbourne Farmers' Association took place to-day at Merilla, and was attended by 500 or 600 people, including many from Goulburn. The competition was good, and the day's proceedings were successful. The judges were Mr. C. R. Styles, of Bungonia; Mr. Jas. Stewart, of Harefield; and Mr. Vernal Hobly, of Gullen. They adopted the point system. The following are the results:—

Champion Match: First prize, £10 and cup; second, £5.—J. Nosworth, Merilla, 108 points, 1; J. Cole, Maxton, 104 points, 2. Three others competed.

First-class Match: First prize, £7 and trophy; second, £5; third, £3.—J. Hockey, Merilla, and Charles Clarke, Merilla, tied for first place, with 87 points each; G. Bool, Merilla, 85 points, 3. There was one other competitor.

Youths' Match, under 18: First prize, £3 and scarifer; second, £2.—H. Weatherstone, Parkesbourne, 65 points, 1; W. S. Headland, Parkesbourne, 70 points, 2. Three others competed, but were disqualified for having an uneven number of furrows.

There was also a double furrow match, in which all who competed, four in number, were disqualified for having an uneven number of furrows.

## OVERLAND PASSENGER TRAFFIC.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

ALBURY, FRIDAY.

The following have passed through:—

For Melbourne (by express): Miss Barker, Miss J. Barker, J. Henderson, Henry Jones, Sam Allen, F. W. Lamping, Hollis, E. Stohfeht, Mrs. St. Quintin, Miss St. Quintin, Mr. and Mrs. M'Donald, G. Paten, Bridge, Dr. Meyer, Miss Allen, R. J. Lackey, J. M'Murtie, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Houston, Mrs. Paul, Reade, Gill, G. P. Hunter, Frewin Watson, Barnes, E. Thomas, W. J. Kelly, Miss Moore, Mrs. Nutting, Mrs. Maude, M. Cohen, J. Harris, Scrivener, M. Isaacs, M'Hutchison, C. F. Maxwell, J. W. Lloyd, W. A. Jenkins, Israel Barnard, R. J. Mackay, Eulathers, Dickinson, Dr. Burke, C. P. Dickinson, Mr. and Mrs. Halinbourg, G. F. Poynting, C. F. Hopkins, Master Hopkins, J. Hinchcliffe, J. Adams, Mrs. Adams, Miss Adams, Reid, Miss Reid, Chapman, L. F. Buckland, J. S. Mailler, G. Maxwell, Bennett, R. H. Simpson, Solomon, Mrs. Small, G. Hewett, Boyce, G. Radford, Cummings, J. Byrnes, G. Judge, Miss M. Thompson, Watkins, Miss Watkins, Mr. and Mrs. M'Ewin, Mr. and Mrs. Green, G. H. Pritchard, S. Benjamin, Rev. E. Steggall, J. Reade.

For Melbourne (by ordinary): Dr. C. H. Scott, Dr. Mein, Jas. Anderson, George Shaw, Miss A. Lester, T. Payten, Mr. and Mrs. Scott, Miss Scott, R. Ede.

For Sydney (by ordinary): C. H. Heapes, G. Felsthein.

## SUNDAY CLOSING OF PUBLIC-HOUSES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Your correspondent, who signs himself "Practical," seems to have a very elastic conscience. His ideas of morality, if widely spread, would make society a sad conglomeration of systematic law-evaders. He seems to be a genuine son of Eve, for he enjoys forbidden fruit to his heart's content. He ought to be, by his own account of himself, above the temptation to defy the law by having surreptitious drinks, when he is unable to afford poultry for his Sunday's dinner, and talks of being compelled to put up with a leg of mutton instead; and what a sweet-tempered man he must be to obtain his drinks out of spite, because the law forbids the publican to open his doors on a Sunday. He is one who would compel the publican to evade the law, and yet he claims to be an intelligent and an educated man; but what can his education be worth if its only effect is to lead him to boast of breaking the laws of his country? Again, what has Sunday trading to do with his wanting drink at the theatre? Does he want to get his liquor at the Sunday theatres as well as on a week day. I am, &c.,

September 29. JUSTICE.

Any reservist who is sufficiently skilled in the use of the bicycle will, on his application (writes the Paris correspondent of the *Daily News*), be exempted from ordinary camp service and its hardships, to be used as a military messenger. The application should be made through the mayor of his commune to the sub-prefect, and by him sent on to the proper military district commander. It will be the mayor's business to ascertain whether the applicant is in the habit of riding a bicycle and is skilled in its management. This new rule is already creating a great demand for bicycles.

## REVIEWS.

*Stirrup Jingles from the Bush and the Turf*, by KENNETH MACKAY. Edwards, Dunlop, and Co., Sydney, Brisbane, and London. 1887.

It is not too much to say, after reading Mr. Mackay's rhymes of bush and turf, that we have one who gives promise of being rightly called a "poet-rider." Mr. Mackay is well known upon the turf as a good unprofessional rider, and when he chooses riding as his theme, he has a right to a fair hearing. But it is not upon this claim alone that Mr. Mackay is entitled to an audience. He has the real poetic touch as well. His verses are just what they profess to be, bits of music and incident born of the life which they seek to portray. This is the principal merit of the little red-paper-covered volume that has gone out to the unpoetical public at this racing time. There would naturally be a suspicion that these turf and bush rhymes are fashioned after Gordon, and whoever writes on these themes must be open to the accusation of having caught inspiration from the author of "How we beat the favourite." Certainly it would require some extraordinary originality in the aspiring poet to convince the unbelieving. This Mr. Mackay has not, and he is modest enough and keen enough to see it. He frankly acknowledges having been saturated with Gordon's singing, and with perhaps having unconsciously fashioned his lines after his brilliant prototype. He dedicates his verses to the memory of Gordon, and does it in a manly and honest way. The lines, in fact, of the dedication are among the best, if not *the* best, in the volume. Here are some of them:—

"Yet, generous-hearted friend and gallant rider,
I feel that could you come from other lands,
This tribute from an all-unknown outsider
At least would fall in sympathetic hands:
For you would know that I have heard the rattle
Of timber struck by quickly-tiring feet,
That dear to me are scenes where horses battle
On swards resounding to their swift hoofs' beat.

That I have strayed through sombre forests lonely,
And lived the life so dimly here portrayed,
And that, although a feeble climber only,
I trod the pathway by my muse essayed.
While if about my lines there may be clinging
Some shreds of fancy brighter than my own,
They have been caught through listening to your singing,
And have amidst my duller dreamings grown.

So, Gordon, on your ashes I am leaving
These aimless rhymes of bush, and mine, and race,
Doubting, in truth, if their crude, clumsy weaving
May be quite worthy of such hallowed place.
Still, as they are the best that I can proffer,
I place them o'er the dust from whence they grew—
Well knowing that, in spite of foe and scoffer,
They would have found a kindly friend in you."

The first poem in the book deals with the Grand National Steeplechase Meeting at Randwick in June, 1887. There is not accumulating incident enough in the poem to make it exciting. It is rather a very clever bit of verse descriptive of horse-racing, with some moralising thrown in. For those who take an interest in the turf the book ought to have a peculiar interest. There is another poem at the end of the book called "The Old Jockey and his Mount," which has the same spirit and "go" in the lines, though the subject is a trifle pathetic. There are some good touches in the following:—

"But why should we talk of the days that are past,
Of the races we won or lost?
Both our dice from the box forever are cast,
And aside we have both been tossed.

'Tis time that we went, for Lone Hand is away,
By backers and fielders unknown.
How they petted and cheered him that glorious day
When he carried the top-weight "home!"

Great Sussex no more may Tom Corrigan bear
To the front in spite of his load,
The strongest and swiftest to do and to dare
That ever man handied or rode.

Old Student now sleeps on the field where he fell,
Running game and true in the van;
While brave Kangaroo takes an unending spell
Not far from the brown beaten "tan."

Never more may M'Leod recover his seat
Amid shouts of wonder and fear;
While loud must, alas! be the thunder of feet
That the gallant Jack Cray can hear.

All the friends of our youth have finished the "course,"
While a sterner than Ashworth waits,
Till again on your back I will ride, old horse,
Through the endless paddock gates."

The bush rhymes in the book are as good, if not better, than the racing bits; notably "The Muster" and "Skeleton Creek," both of which have been published in the *Sydney Mail*. They are well-builded, and have a warm and quick fancy that is Mr. Mackay's chief characteristic. Given rigid discipline in those things which go to make up good poetry—proportion, shapeliness, purpose, competeness, and design—the hand that made "Stirrup Jingles" would make something much better. The high poetic altitude cannot be reached at a bound, and the young poet-rider has much to learn, but he is neither commonplace nor wanting in qualities that go to make up the good artist.

### SCHOOL BOOKS.

We have received from Messrs. Macmillan and Co. a volume of their classical series, entitled *The Last Two Kings of Macedon*, being extracts from the fourth and fifth decades of Livy, edited by F. H. Rawlins, M.A. Though we see no very good reason for seeking to teach schoolboys, among the other more important portions of Roman history, the history of Macedonia between 201 and 167 B.C. out of a Latin text instead of an English one, this volume of extracts appears to be carefully edited. We think, however, that many of the notes, especially those on syntax, might very well have been left out—a remark which applies to most of the volumes of this series. It is surely not presumed that the pupil will begin this or similar books before having, through the elementary series, acquired some knowledge of the syntax; and something should be left for the lad to find out for himself—some opportunity should be given him to apply the knowledge he has previously acquired. It can hardly be necessary that in works like this more than twice as much space should be given to the notes as to the text. It would seem as if the schoolmasters were supposed to be all forgetting their Latin. As for the derivations that are so lavishly given, is not the schoolboy supposed to possess a good Latin dictionary?

We have also received from Messrs. Macmillan two volumes of their series of elementary classics, viz., *Selections from Cornelius Nepos*, and the *Fourth Book of Cæsar's Gallic War*. "The Nepos" is not an unsuitable book for beginners, and the editor has acted sensibly in (to use his own words) not adding many notes, "as I have found that young boys are apt to use them with but little profit." There are, however, two or three obscure passages left without comment, on which he might have commented with advantage. As for the "Fourth Book of Cæsar," it is of ill-fame with schoolboys, as containing the description of the bridge built by Cæsar across the Rhine. On looking the passage up in this edition, we find that the editor has here hardly given enough help to beginners, who, in other places, are apt (to use Dr. Johnson's phrase) to be encumbered with help. The difficulties are far more clearly explained in Meberly's edition, and his plan of the bridge appears to us more correct than Mr. Bryans's.

We have also to acknowledge a volume of selections from Schiller in Macmillan's Foreign School Classics. The notes are in the main judicious, and of real use for the comprehension of the author's meaning. The editors are, however, somewhat too ambitious, and indulge overmuch in references to poets and prosewriters, ancient and modern, which, though no doubt they show a good range of reading on the part of these gentlemen, might better have been omitted. They considered it, so the preface states, their duty not to lose any opportunity of stimulating a taste for poetical criticism and comparison. So the student who wishes to gain some knowledge of Schiller's lyric poetry has also to take down his Greek and Latin dictionary (if, indeed, he possesses such works, for they profess "to take their standard from the less cultured of their readers"), and try to make out the meaning of quotations from Homer, Æschylus, Sophocles, Horace, Valerius Maximus, Ovid, Virgil, relief being occasionally afforded in the way of quotations in the vernacular from General Gordon, Fenimore Cooper, Tom Campbell, Wendell Holmes, Swinburne, and a vast number of other worthies. Would it not be better if the editors would publish some original works, which they might load with quotations after the manner of the divines of the 17th century?

The translation by J. E. C. Welldon, M.A., of *Aristotle's Rhetoric* which we have received from Messrs. Macmillan, is an excellent piece of work. The translator thinks it very desirable that, as the majority of men have now little leisure for the study of Greek thought in the Greek language, competent interpreters should enable them to do so in their own tongue. He is further of opinion that the general neglect of the study of rhetoric is a real and great loss, and would probably, therefore, insist on its being made a compulsory subject at universities, especially for men who intended to become members of Parliament. In such a case, Aristotle, like Euclid, might well be studied in English, and not in the original Greek—pure science, as De Quincey said, admitting of adequate translation. Mr. Welldon acknowledges his great obligations to the commentary on Aristotle's Rhetoric by that eminent scholar, the late Mr. Cope. As far as we have compared his translation with the original, he has exercised a sound judgment among the matters in the rejection of interpolations in the Greek text, and in inserting in his English version words or passages necessary for the proper comprehension of his author's meaning. His style is clear, and generally neat, though occasionally very heavy. There are, indeed, several passages where he does not appear to us to have brought out the true meaning. But, on the whole, we think he has done his work very ably, and strongly recommend the translation to English readers who may wish to know how the art of rhetoric was treated by the great philosopher who raised that subject to an art, and who has left so little for others to do in this respect after him. Though, indeed, there are many who, as they despise the art of logic, equally despise that of rhetoric, and are of the opinion of Faust, that (to quote Anster's translation):—

"If feeling does not prompt, in vain you strive;
If from the soul the language does not come
By its own impulse, to impel the hearts
Of hearers with communicated power,
In vain you strive."

We have also to acknowledge the receipt of a handbook of Greek composition, by Henry Browne, S.J., published by Browne and Nolan, of Dublin, as well as a small volume of First Greek Exercises, by the same author. These are doubtless useful little books, but have nothing to distinguish them specially from many others of the same kind.

We have received from Messrs. Macmillan a Text-Book of Euclid's Elements, containing Books I. and II., by H. S. Hall, M.A., and F. H. Stevens, M.A. The editors properly claim it as a merit, that they have introduced no symbols or contractions of any kind in the working out of Book I.; but first introduce them in a mild form in Book II. In subsequent books they purpose to "employ all such signs and abbreviations as they believe to add to the clearness of the reasoning."

We have likewise received from the last-mentioned publishers a treatise on Spherical Trigonometry, part II., by Messrs. M'Clelland and Preston. This second part consists largely of the application of spherical trigonometry to spherical geometery, which latter subject the authors of this treatise hope to rescue from the comparative neglect into which it has fallen. In the part which deals peculiarly with spherical trigonometry, the subject of areas is very fully treated, some novelty being introduced in the form of a geometrical representation of the spherical excess; there is also an entire chapter devoted to the properties of the chordal triangle.

We have to acknowledge from the Religious Tract Society a *Treatise on Electricity and Its Uses*, by J. Munro. A main object of this work is to explain the recent applications of electricity; and the telephone and microphone, the photopsone, the telephotograph, and the electric light are treated of.

From Messrs. Whitaker and Co. we have received a volume on the *Conversion of Heat into Work*, by William Anderson, M.I.C.E. The author informs us that his work is in substance a reproduction of a course of lectures which he delivered for the council of the Society of Arts and Manufactures, the object of the lectures being "to popularise the doctrine that in heat-engines the work given out is due to the conversion of the molecular motion of heat into the visible motion which it was desired to produce."

## CAPTAIN ARTHUR PHILLIP, R.N.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Mr. R. B. Smith has placed a motion before the Legislative Assembly to erect a monument to Governor Phillip. A short time ago I suggested, through your columns, that such an act at the Centenary was due to the memory of the able chief who led the first fleet across the seas to these shores. Sir Henry Parkes, in his excellent proposal to call the principal apartment in the State House "Phillip Hall," has partly met the duty of recognising the services of Captain Phillip. Mr. Smith's resolution, however, should still be carried into effect, and in support thereof I would like to further direct public attention to the merits of our pioneer Governor.

When the British Government determined to form a settlement in New Holland the selection of a suitable leader was a matter for extreme care. Happily the choice rested on Captain Arthur Phillip. He was a native of London. At 16 he entered the navy and fought at the taking of Havannah, and was soon after made a lieutenant. When the seven years' war ended he returned to England, married, and settled in the New Forest. After a short period a war broke out between Spain and Portugal, and Phillip offered his services to the latter. His active and daring spirit made him peculiarly acceptable, and he was retained in the service until 1778, when arose another war between France and England, and he returned home. In 1779 he was appointed commander of the Basilisk fire ship, and two years after captain of the Ariadne. Later he commanded the Europe, of 64 guns. He was a fine specimen of the British seaman of the latter part of the last century. It was a generation in which some of our greatest naval heroes were produced. Phillip won the confidence and esteem of both the Government he served and those whom he commanded. After returning from New South Wales he was created a vice-admiral.

Certainly in the history of the world few expeditions than that led by Phillip have ever started with more difficult or dangerous continngencies as possible. Not many would have faced the responsibility. The isolation of this land, its immense distance from England, and its almost unknown character, threw quite an air of romance over the departure of the fleet. This was infinitely more the "dark continent" than Africa has been for many ages. The personnel of the fleet was a peculiar difficulty. There is some analogy between our early history and that of ancient and glorious Rome. Romulus had to deal with the thieves and ruffians he had attracted to him; and Phillip, likewise, had to manage a number of restless and untamed spirits. The prospect of mutiny was considerable. Had there not been great care and foresight in the arrangements, the expedition might have signally failed.

Phillip, on his arrival at Botany, after a tedious voyage of over eight months, at once showed his administrative capacity. He thought the bay did not agree with the account given by Captain Cook. Instead of forming the settlement there, as he was expected by the British Government to do, he determined to explore and look elsewhere. He left Botany Bay in an open boat, and pulled northward. He entered Port Jackson, and was rewarded by discovering our never-to-be-enough-admired harbour. He chose the site of our city and gave it the euphonious name it bears. Supposing he had adhered to the Botany site, what would have been the consequence? Would not this city have been thrown back at least a generation? What service of equal value has ever been rendered to this city? This change of site was a master-stroke of policy, and for itself alone deserves special recognition.

As to his Government, it was marked by prudence and energy. Writers of our early history speak of his zeal, perseverance, and benevolence. He rewarded the industrious and virtuous, but was firm in the repression of vice. Once he was speared by an aboriginal, but recovered. When the colony was short of food, through the wreck of a storeship, and starvation seemed probable, he overruled a proposal to abandon the place, and, like a true hero as he was, lived on less than half the rations then allowed. He lived "on the same ration as the meanest convict in the territory," until relief came. Of his explorations and other incidents of his rule, it is not necessary to enter upon. Whether he delivered the speech or not attributed to him by Flanagan, there can be no doubt that he had qualities which made him in several respects great, and enabled him to render services of untold value in laying the foundation of the infant State.

We should not leave to future generations only the acknowledgment of his merit. It would, I venture to say, be a just and honourable recognition if, on Anniversary Day, 1888, the foundation of some statue of him were laid. The nearer the spot the more appropriate would it be where on that day 100 years before, in the dense bush, he commenced this city. The cost need not exceed that of a year's salary of a present Governor.

Our heroes have been so few that we can ill afford to allow the recollection of a brave pioneer like Arthur Phillip to lie even in partial oblivion. There are actions of his that would adorn the annals of any nation. It has been said that good deeds rest in the memory of age green and sunny. They must, however, be made to stand forth. How can their glory and beauty incite men to patriotism and duty if they are obscured? Arthur Phillip's services demand at our Centenary full acknowledgment, especially at the hands of this great city of Sydney, of which he was the founder. I am, &c.,

Redfern, September 20. F. B. BOYCE.

What *Truth* calls "the butcher's bill" for the Burmah campaign has been received from Simla. The British army has lost from disease and in action 85 officers dead, 54 wounded, 128 invalided. Soldiers: 634 dead, 111 wounded, and 1592 invalided. Natives of all ranks: 1004 dead. 335 wounded, and 2594 invalided.

## LECTURES.

### THE LAWS OF COOLING, AND HOW COLD MAY BE PRODUCED ARTIFICIALLY.

A lecture upon "The Laws of Cooling, and how Cold may be Produced Artificially," was delivered in the Technical Hall, Pitt-street, on Thursday evening, by Mr. John L. Bruce, I.A. In his preliminary remarks Mr. Bruce pointed out that "cold" was merely a relative term applied to a particular degree of heat, and that the laws of cooling were neither more nor less than laws of heating. Heating consisted in raising the temperature of our surroundings; and so also cooling consisted in the lowering of the temperature of these surroundings. He then explained by means of a diagram how the change of heat really took place. He dwelt at considerable length upon the subject of evaporation, and explained that the greater the evaporation the greater the cooling effect would be. The effect of expansion and contraction was explained; and it was contended by the lecturer that there was really no such thing as cold existing as really apart from heat. The sensational phenomena and the effect produced by evaporation in connection with the absorption of heat were fully explained, and the lecturer pointed out that unless the relative properties of heat and cold were understood, a clear idea of the laws which governed cooling could not be obtained. He spent some time in the second portion of his lecture in explaining the phenomena of latent heat, and the means to be employed for the production of cold on a large scale. He described how cold could be attained by simple means, and pointed out that in ordinary circumstances it was well worth trying for. In conclusion, he referred to some of the processes employed for the purpose of keeping dairies cool. One efficient, simple, and expedient means was that of using a damp cloth in hot weather. Another means employed was that of covering the dairy roof with turf. This was a most ingenious idea, and combined within itself the obstruction of heat by an excellent non-conducter, and the abstraction of heat by an excellent evaporator. From experiments made on grass, bare earth, and water by the Government Astronomer, it was found that the evaporation during the year from grass was 20 per cent. greater than that from bare earth, and only 14 per cent. less than from water itself; but when the grass was moist on the surface the evaporation was considerably in excess of that from water, and so the cooling effect produced was correspondingly great. The mere conducting power could be best shown by the given temperatures. At a certain depth below the surface the temperature never varied throughout the year, but remained at the mean annual temperature of the locality. The depth was least at the tropics, and increased as the difference of summer and winter temperature enlarged. In the tropics the depth was about 2ft., in England it was about 30ft., and here from tests made at the Observatory it was probably between 20 and 30ft. from the surface. The value of underground cellars for preserving equal temperatures was illustrated. Freezing mixtures were explained, and the methods of ice-making and cooling were described, as well as some of the machines which are employed. The lecture, which was of an instructive character throughout, was fully appreciated by the audience. The subject of the next lecture will be "Pure Air and the General Principles of Ventilation."

### SEMI-TROPICAL PRODUCTS OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

The Technical College lecture on Wednesday evening was on "Our Semi-tropical Products," by the instructor for agriculture. Tobacco was the first product dealt with, but Mr. Mackay announced that sugar, its growth and manufacture from the cane, beet, sorghum, maize, &c., arrowroot, farming oil, and fibre plants, &c., are all to come into the series. There were several special reasons for dealing with tobacco at this time. The season was just commencing, and were the process he recommended followed, there was every certainty that should 100 from that audience sow tobacco seed, 90 of them would get leaf of some sort. Then it would be found that the quality depended so largely upon the soil that that feature would be no longer overlooked. As a manure for crops like tobacco he desired to attract attention to seaweed, which was a nuisance in parts of the colony. Then, it might have been noticed in a recent issue of the *Sydney Morning Herald* that the London Chamber of Commerce was offering a prize of 50 guineas for the best tobacco from India or the colonies. That prize might be won here, for they could see that tobacco of very first-rate quality was amongst our products, and also that some of the stuff offered for sale was as bad as bad could be. Mr. Mackay then showed leaf tobacco from various parts of the colony, from the United States, Cuba, &c., giving descriptions of each, and what analyses showed the contents to be. This part of the lecture was very interesting to producers of tobacco and to users of it alike. The crop, he explained, was a very old one in Australia, the climate of which was specially adapted for bringing it to the highest perfection. The reports of the first settlers were that "tobacco grows anywhere, like a weed." That description was equally correct now, but the stuff produced on unsuitable soil was miserably poor. It was by allowing this sort of tobacco to come to market that colonial leaf had got a bad name. The plant was indigenous to the country, several native tobaccos being known; but as a crop tobacco was of the most exhausting character. The material it required in excess was potash. Where the soil was deficient in that the plant would grow, but the leaf was thin, brittle, poor, and had no life or body in it. Potash was a scarce commodity in our soils generally, though heavy supplies of it could be got from seaweed. Quite likely there was enough fertiliser for tobacco in the seaweed described as a nuisance in Sydney harbour, to grow the 2,000,000lb. of leaf that are necessary for the demands of this colony alone. In every part of the world where first-class leaf was produced now-a-days special fertilisers were needed, and were used. It paid to use them. As we worked more generally into a similar system the colony should be exporting leaf. The curing, too, required skill, and such appliances in the way of buildings as enabled the curing of the leaf to be done in proper houses, plans of which were shown and described. Otherwise the risks of loss and injury were too great. In fact, tobacco farming required skill and capital, and when they were applied the business prospects were much more safe and profitable than when all reliance was placed on the soil and climate as we found them. In his next lecture on the subject he would go more fully into the analyses of leaf, tobacco, and nicotine, the active principle of the series. The audience was large and appreciative.

The Rev. Robert Collie, F.L.S., delivered a lecture in the Glebe Presbyterian Church, on Thursday, on "The Holy Land." The Rev. Andrew Gardiner occupied the chair, and the meeting was opened by the Rev. G. K. Stewell, who has recently arrived from New Zealand. Mr. Collie described many of the famed and hallowed places in the land of Palestine. He was greatly aided in his descriptions by a series of views exhibited by Mr. Percy Hordern. At the close, on the motion of Mr. Joseph Knox, seconded by Mr. W. Wilson, a hearty vote of thanks was accorded to Mr. Collie for his lecture.

## FAIR TRADE ASSOCIATION AT NEWCASTLE.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

NEWCASTLE, FRIDAY.

A very large meeting was held to-night in the Victoria Theatre, to form a Fair Trade Association. The chair was taken by Mr. W. B. Sharp, manager of the Great Northern Wool Dumping Company. Apologies for non-attendance were read from Messrs. Garvan, Traill, and others. The chairman stated that he was a thorough protectionist, or else he would not have taken the chair. Alderman W. Grahame moved the first resolution, as follows:—"That in the opinion of this meeting, the future fiscal policy of this colony should be of such a character as would give encouragement to colonial industries." Mr. W. Davies, ex-miners' chairman, seconded the resolution. Mr. James Fletcher, M.L.A., supported the resolution, and was received with great cheering. He maintained that trades unions were not the cause of the depression and low wages, but were the cause of benefit both to capitalists and workmen. He explained that fair trade implied that the same amount of protection should be allowed to this colony in importing as is allowed in other colonies. He maintained that with regard to the foreign coal trade, it would soon fade away. Other countries were developing their own coal industries, and it would be necessary to open up industries to consume the coal of this colony, and also to establish a colonial and intercolonial coal trade to keep the coal industry in a flourishing state. He spoke for nearly an hour, and was frequently applauded and loudly cheered at the close. In answer to a question as to why he dismissed Daniel Rees, chairman of the Miners' Union, from the Co-operative Colliery, he replied that it was because he was impertinent, and if it were needed he would do it again. He pointed out as a proof that the great body of the miners had no confidence in Mr. Rees, that they would not have a general strike as he wished. The motion was also supported by Mr. T. Ewing, M.L.A., and was agreed to. Alderman Buchanan moved the second resolution as follows:—"That with the view of giving practical effect to the foregoing resolution, it is the duty of every well-wisher of this colony to render every assistance in his power to bring about such effect, and to that end a Fair Trade Association should be immediately formed, the members to pay an annual subscription of one guinea." Mr. W. Donnelly seconded the resolution, which was supported by Mr. Creer, M.L.A., and carried. A provisional committee to prepare a code of rules, &c., for the guidance of the association was then formed, and the proceedings terminated.

A terrible disaster at a launch (says the *European Mail*), the particulars of which have arrived by the American mail, occurred on August 6, at Milwaukee, Wisconsin, in which nine persons lost their lives, and nine were others seriously injured. On the day mentioned a large steamer—the largest ever constructed on the Michigan River—was being launched from the shipbuilding yard of Messrs. Wolf and Davidson. The steamer, which was named the William Wolf, left the ways, and was launched in safety, but her huge hull dashing into the river, caused the water to rise in a wave to a great height. This wave dashed with great force against the shed of the North-Western Fuel Company, on the roof of which were about a hundred spectators. The structure gave way, and the mass of people were thrown together in the water. The shrieks of the drowning people were terrible. Every effort was made to save them, and many were got out, either insensible, badly injured, or dead. The loss of life turned out to be nine, and a similar number were dangerously injured.

## RABBIT DESTRUCTION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—In your issue of the 13th instant there appears a letter from Mr. James Tyson, jun., explaining his method of rabbit destruction. Now, after reading Mr Tyson's letter attentively, I have come to the conclusion that his method is not practicable, and more especially in the Central division. There is no doubt but Mr. Tyson is a thorough practical man, and with his experience will no doubt give a good account of himself, as he has taken the question up to put it to a practical test, and money will be no object to him in carrying out his ideas. But in the first place stockowners will look with great suspicion on a plan that will involve the constant mustering and driving of their stock; and, in the next place, the proposed plan will entail a great outlay to start with, and after the fences are all up, there will have to be a numerous staff of men constantly employed to see that the fence is not broken or holes made under it. In fact, to keep the fence rabbit-proof it would require not less than one man to every six miles. Now, to fence in a run into small paddocks, it will take on some runs about 400 miles of fencing, and if men have to be constantly kept to see that there is no break, it will be a great tax on the revenue of the station. Then there is the poison to buy, and the grain, also the men to make the furrows and lay the poisoned grain. Then, again, Mr. Tyson has not taken into account that all runs are not so easily adapted for poisoning as Tupra. He has not allowed for all the modes of egress and ingress through all the different runs such as creeks, ravines, main roads, and, besides, there would want to be a constant supervision night and day on those places. Again, there is the Central division, that the rabbit-proof fence cannot be erected on in consequence of ranges, in most places consisting of rock, also the deep ravines in those ranges, also the rivers. In fact, no practical man who takes the trouble to inspect the country in the Central division would for one moment think of rabbit-proof fencing. There are also the scrub and hollow logs to contend with, for it is a well-known fact that the rabbit avails itself of the cover of the fallen scrub in preference to the burrows during the spring and summer months; in fact, on some of the runs the rabbit takes advantage of the porcupine grass, pine, and mallee scrub, also they will take to logs and any trees that are hollow at the butts; in fact, they give the burrows up in summer. Now, what is wanted is some simple and inexpensive plan to cope with them. Mr. Tyson's plan seems simple enough at first sight until it is analysed, and then you find that, to carry it out, it means every man killing his own rabbits in his own way, for very few will go to the expense that Mr. Tyson's plan entails; and moreover, it would be a constant tax every year. I say that it is a disgrace to our intelligence to say that there can be no means devised to cope with the pest. Now, we all know that the rabbit is not looked upon as a pest in the old country. How is it no person tries to solve this? The answer is, simply because the population keeps them down. Well, we have not got the population here, but we can make up for it. Nature never intended for paddocks of 60,000 and 70,000 acres to be fenced off, and one man put to boundary ride two or three of those paddocks. Now, if Mr. Tyson was to employ one-fifth of the men that he will require to work his plan, and employ them in useful work, such as necessary fencing, clearing, and other work, and let each of his men have a certain number of cats, he will find that he will not require either to disturb his stock, or yet get wire netting. The mistake has been made by the Government in the first place subsidising the squatter. It sapped the energy of the management of stations. What would be thought of the member of Parliament who would be bold enough to introduce a bill to compensate the farmers for rust or any other disease in their crops? If it were proposed to give a farmer, say 3s. a bushel for his crop if it was rusty, and plough a furrow round his paddock and burn off the rusty crop, would not honorable members get up in their place and say that such a bill would sap the energy of the farmer and make him careless, because he would know that the State would indemnify him whether his crop was rusty or not? and the same may be said of the squatters with the rabbits. They have been in the habit of being fostered up by the Government. Now that the Government has made the mistake it is plainly its duty to demonstrate to the squatters the practicability of working their stations and keeping the rabbits down at the same time, for there can be no one sanguine enough to think that the rabbit can be wholly exterminated, nor do I think that it should, for it is a very welcome addition to the larder, and was never intended by an all-wise Providence that it should be exterminated. I am certain that if the rabbit ever makes its appearance in the Eastern division it will not be considered a pest, as the population is large enough to keep it within bounds.

Mr. Gormly, senior member for the Murrumbidgee, is the only member in the Legislative Assembly that appears to have any practical knowledge of dealing with the rabbit, and that is by encouraging population. Now, to get population, it must be clearly demonstrated to owners of runs that they can employ labour with a profit, and with the same labour keep the rabbit down. Now, to prove my assertion that it was mistaken kindness on the part of the Government to subsidise, or in any way to assist the owners of runs. In the first place, I will quote from Mr. Tyson's letter. He says, "As an instance of personal experience, at one time a Government camp with eight men were put on Tupra against my wish. As soon as they fixed their camp I put my horse in the buggy, took with me part of a drum of carbon and a little black boy, and another man on horseback. In three days we so carbonised and killed all rabbits, that they were not able to catch enough to pay for their rations." Now does not this statement clearly demonstrate that if Mr. Tyson had worked with energy he must have cleared his run? It is only reasonable to ask what has he been doing this last three years, for it is only to assume that if he could do what he states, that if he had put nine black boys and nine men on, he would have cleared his run in three months; but it is as I say, owners of runs in the first place got careless when they found that the Government would assist them, and the Government have only themselves to blame; and it is clearly their duty to do all that is possible to stop the further spread of the rabbit. Now, to do this, all scrub land must be cleared there must be no cover left for the rabbit; and to leave it no cover, all scrub that is cut, also all hollow logs or anything that will afford cover, must be burned off. Perhaps some will say that would be a great expense, but this work can be done by the men that are at the present time rabbiting. Instead of having those men carrying traps about I would have them employed scrub-cutting; and where there is no scrub a good manager can always find plenty of work. Another thing owners of runs will say—we cannot scrub the resumed area. I say, let the Government advance the money—say, at 3½ or 4 per cent., and when the land is wanted for settlement, let the selector pay the interest; the squatter ought only be asked to pay after the land is cleared 12 months, but in the event of a selector taking up the land, he ought to pay what it cost to scrub it, with interest; but that is a matter of detail. I would also suggest that the squatter be the person to do the scrubbing, and let the Government find the money, and the land will be cleared for half the money that the Government could do it for, as if the Government did it there would be a constant army of inspectors that would cost as much as the scrubbing. In fact, the rabbit branch of the Mines Department will be the greatest stumbling-block to a practical solution of the question, for no doubt the employees of this department will think that their services will be no longer required if the rabbit is done away with, and they would be right to a certain extent, for if my suggestion is carried out the rabbit department would be abolished in 12 months. Then there is the professional rabbiter to deal with; but by my plan every man would have to do a fair day's work for a fair day's pay, the land would be made available for settlement, and there would be no such thing as unemployed. I have made application to the Minister for Mines to test my plan, but I do not lay any claim to the £25,000, for I think any man that thinks the rabbit can be wholly exterminated wants treating for the simples. The Minister might as well offer £25,000,000, as it would be just as possible to catch all the fish in Sydney Harbour as to destroy all the rabbits; but what I do claim is a chance to prove to squatters the practicability of improving their runs and at the same time destroying the rabbits, and to get a fair remuneration, for the man that demonstrates this fact will be a public benefactor. Another thing, it is quite possible for Mr. Tyson to put machinery enough on the Murrumbidgee River to pump it dry; but the moment he stops pumping, the river will run again, and, as for the rabbit-proof fencing, it would be as possible to dam the Murrumbidgee with a wire fence, for, if the rabbit cannot get in at the front door, he will get in at the back—in fact, there is no scheme of either poisoning or fencing that is practicable over the whole rabbit country. It would be better to spend the money that it will take to fence and poison in scrub-cutting and burning-off, for, if the rabbit has no cover, he cannot live. And another thing, the squatters must be left to do the work themselves, and not be annoyed with officials. Look at Mr. Tyson, for instance, the rabbit inspector putting eight men on him, whether he wanted them or not. If my suggestion is carried out, the professional rabbiter and the rabbit department will be all abolished in 12 months. I am, &c.,

September 27. JOHN O'NEILL.

## PUBLIC MEETINGS IN BELMORE PARK.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Will you allow me to inquire, through the medium of your valued columns, whether there is any precedent for the refusal of the Mayor to allow a public meeting to be held in Belmore Park. It seems out of harmony with Australian freedom to decline to allow here what in the old country is regarded as a part of the public charter it would be most dangerous to meddle with. The right of the people to assemble in their thousands in Hyde Park or Trafalgar-square, where the ordinary traffic of the great metropolis is always so great, has never been refused in recent times. How, then, this reactionary step of the Mayor of Sydney? What harm would a protectionist meeting do in Belmore Park to-morrow? Their arguments being reckoned harmless and their logic unenlightened, it was a mistake in policy for the Mayor to refuse.

If at some remote period we have a protectionist Mayor, I do not think the free-traders would be refused the use of Belmore Park, as the suppressing of free speech can never be part of a really wise and progressive policy, and the Mayor should remember that what is "sauce for the goose may be sauce for the gander." I am, &c.,

Sept. 30. H. JOSEPH.

The Nagasaki *Express* says that on August 11 the coal mine on Hashima became flooded, resulting in the drowning of some 40 miners.

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## SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—September 30.

Taupo (s.), 408 tons, Captain F. Fielding, from Melbourne 27th ultimo. Passengers—Mrs. Sturrock and child, Mrs. Patterson and 3 children, Mrs. Arbuthnot, Mr. R. M. M'Harg, and Master Surie. F. W. Jackson, agent.

Rosedale (s.), 274 tons, Captain M. Prendergast, from Manning River 29th ultimo. Passengers—Mrs. Law, Mrs. Steinmeetz, Miss Musgrave, Miss M'Kinnon, Misses Davis (2), Messrs. A. W. Castle, Nyberg, L. Steinmeetz, Minnett, Hayes, Norton, H. Davis, Master Cameron, and 3 in the steerage. John See and Co., agents.

Elamang (s.), 946 tons, Captain J. E. Butcher, from Melbourne 28th ultimo. Passengers—Mrs. Lousada, Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Sempkins, Mrs. Dellitt and two infants, Misses Lewis (2), Misses Shelley (2), Miss Laing, Miss Thomas, Miss M'Lennon, Miss Currie, Captain M'Cotton, Messrs. W. Glover, J. Henderson, W. Reid, J. M. Johnstone, J. Aitken, H. Lousada, Lewis, Hodge, P. Davis, M'Murray, and 17 in the steerage. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, agents.

Barrabool (s.), 942 tons, Captain Lewis Tindal, from Melbourne 28th ultimo. Passengers—Mrs. A. Hestin, Miss E. Williams, Mrs. F. James, Miss E. Leyden, Miss M. Muntz, Miss R. Corden, Miss Buckingham, Miss Hall, Messrs. J. Donnelly, E. Williams, G. Swartz, Hall, Foggarth, E. G. Spain, J. Hartwick, Grant, C. E. Tanner, E. Watson, and 23 in the steerage. W. Howard Smith and Sons, Limited, agents.

Rodondo (s.), 1117 tons, Captain C. J. Nightingall, from Brisbane 28th ultimo. Passengers—Mrs. Loveday, Mrs. J. H. Ball, Messrs. P. Bancroft, A. M'Rae, P. Davidson, J. H. Ball, A. Dyason, C. Fink, P. Keenan, G. Thompson, G. White, C. Collins, J. Anderson, L. Damlase, A. Gifford, W. Wells, E. W. Cross, P. Dawson, W. Dyason, and 23 in the steerage. W. Howard Smith and Sons, Limited, agents.

Dupleix (s.), 1409 tons, Captain E. Chaboud, from Noumea 26th ultimo. Passengers—For Sydney: Messrs. Doublet, W. Polman, Goudin, Tindale, Major Varaila, Varaila, Cuorneen, R. Tompson, Villeneuve, Bourgeois, Comte. For Aden: Mr. Dellebois. For Melbourne: Miss M'Laghay. For Marseilles: Messrs. Reffer, Mayolle, Chamonin, Verchere, Brisemontier, Ferry, Bousquet, Medezin, Miss Elise Regel, and a number of soldiers. A. Conil, agent.

May, three-masted schooner, 236 tons, Captain George Robb, from Bluff, N.Z., 16th ultimo. Captain, agent.

Karoola, three masted schooner, 201 tons, Captain E. Matthews, from Johnston River, via Dungeness, 17th ultimo. Corrigan and Riedy, agents.

October 1.

Lubeck (s.), 1815 tons, Captain W. Schmoelder, from Apia and Tonga. Fink and Betz, Limited, agents.

Trafalgar, ship, 1429 tons, Captain David Moir, from London July 5. Montefiore, Joseph, and Co., agents.

DEPARTURES.—September 30.

R.M.S. Rome, for London, via Melbourne and Adelaide.
Buninyong (s.), for Melbourne.
Quiraing (s.), for Melbourne.
Ranelagh (s.), for Brisbane and Northern ports.
Taupo (s.), for Fiji, via Newcastle, Lord Howe and Norfolk Islands.
Jane, three-masted schooner, for Fremantle, via Newcastle.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—October 1.

Yarra (s.), for Marseilles, via Melbourne and Adelaide; Foochow (s.), for Hongkong, via ports; Rodondo (s.), Wendouree (s.), for Melbourne; Adelaide (s.), for Adelaide, via Melbourne; Elamang (s.), for Cooktown, via ports; Helen Nicoll (s.), for Grafton; Rosedale (s.), for Manning River; Coraki (s.), for Richmond River; Woodburn (s.), for Macleay River.

CLEARANCES.—September 30.

R.M.S. Rome, 5011 tons, Captain W. Barratt, for London, via ports. Passengers—From Sydney, for London: Mr. and Mrs. L. Vincent, Mrs. Calthrop, Miss S. E. Flatt, Miss Woodall, Miss Leckie, Messrs. P. Caldecott, R. D. Barcly, Layton, L. Edwards, E. Edwards, Richardson, W. S. Galloway, J. Hunter, Davis, H. Mulcaster, T. Scholfield, Kendall, Barnes, Neck, Woodall, Cotching. For Bombay: Mr. and Mrs. Lenpolt, Mr. and Mrs. R. Gilbert infant and nurse, Captain R. Lowe. For Brindisi: Mr. Vaughan. For Venice: Mr. Von Oppen, Mr. F. Grabowsky. For Calcutta: Captain and Mrs. G. F. Wells. For Melbourne: Mr. and Mrs. D. T. M'Carthy, Mr. and Mrs. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Younghusband, Mrs. Hills, Miss Moule, Miss L. Dickinson, Miss Harvey, Mr. W. Smith, Mr. Woid, Mr. Corbett. From Melbourne to London: Mr. and Mrs. Langdon, Mrs. Tenchen 2 infants and nurse, Mr. and Mrs. Woodall, Misses Langdon (2), Messrs. N. Lloyd, Percival and 2 friends, Raydon, Adamson, Lytton. For Venice: Mr. O. A. Spencer. For Bombay: Mrs. Withers 2 children governess and nurse, Major and Mrs. Battye, Mr. Battye, Miss Battye, Mrs. Moffatt and 2 servants. For Albany: Miss Hillier, Mrs. Hassall, Misses Hassall (3), Misses Hickling (2), Masters Hickling (2). From Albany for London: Lady Broome, Hon. J. Amherst.

Taupo (s.), 408 tons, Captain F. Fielding, for Norfolk Island and Fiji, via Newcastle. Passengers—For Norfolk Island: 4 in the steerage. Also through passengers from Melbourne.

Ranelagh (s.), 836 tons, Captain W. Sinclair, for Brisbane, Maryborough, and Rockhampton. Passengers—Mrs. Culling Hanbury and maid, Mrs. Pridham, Mrs. Thomson, Mrs. Ross, Mrs. M'Allister and child, Miss L. E. Herbert, Miss Tanner, Dr. Innis, Captain A. E. Harris, Messrs. A. H. Burton, F. S. Logie, R. R. Davidson, W. Molle, C. M'Intyre, R. Thomson, R. Ross, R. Westacott, Lewis D. Thomas, William Archer, C. K. Gray-Creig, W. Symthe, H. G. Goult, W. S. Lee, Morwitch, R. Tuesnil, W. R. Anderson, and 13 in the steerage.

Buninyong (s.), 2070 tons, Captain J. D. Joy, for Melbourne. Passengers—Mrs. H. M'Leod, Mrs. G. Melville, Mrs. Clitheroe, Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. R. Stewart, Miss Bevan, Miss Norton, Miss Anstead, Miss L. Stewart, Messrs. H. M'Leod, G. Melville, Clitheroe, H. C. Sidney, R. B. Wiseman, F. Stanmore, W. J. Montgomery, H. Marshall, G. Bryer, R. J. Hayhow, E. M. Catterall, R. Stewart, Dr. Shirley Roberts, E. W. Cross, J. Long, R. Whithan, C. Arthur, J. Kenny, J. Kilfoy, W. Green, G. Leitch, J. Turner, E. Vaughan, and 21 in the steerage.

Quiraing (s.), 1166 tons, Captain R. Armstrong, for Melbourne. Passengers—Mrs. W. W. King and 2 children, Mrs. J. King and infant, Mrs. Walsh, Mrs. Mountain, Mrs. J. B. Steele, Miss Trimble, Miss Mountain, Messrs. E. K. Overens, G. H. Anthony, T. P. Anthony, W. D. Home, and 12 in the steerage.

Jane, three-masted schooner, 256 tons, Captain R. Evans, for Freemantle via Newcastle, in ballast.

Soochow (s.), 999 tons, Captain J. B. Harris, for Hongkong via ports—Passengers—For Port Darwin: Mr. W. H. Hadcock; for Hongkong: Captain W. N. Allison and 6 Chinese.

COASTERS INWARDS.—September 30.

Boomerang (s.), from Newcastle, with 70 bales hay, 75 bales wool, 25 bales S. skins, 7 bundles K. skins, 6 casks tallow, 150 cases meat, 1700 sheep, and sundries. Newcastle (s.), from Newcastle, with 24 bales lucerne hay, 79 bales wool, 28 bales sheepskins, 64 cases biscuits, 70 cases wine, 100 cases corn-flour, 30 cases fruit, 23 cases eggs, 125 bags coke, 53 bags horns, 15 bags bacon, 10 casks tallow, 16 casks ale, 253 hides, 66 baskets fish, a quantity of furniture, 35 horses. Maitland (s.), from Newcastle, with 20 bales wool, 14 bales hay, 4 bales skins, 20 hides, 4 cases eggs, 4 casks wine, 132 bales straw, 4 bundles skins, 4 casks wine, 2 coops pigs, 100 pigs, 4 coops poultry.

COASTERS OUTWARDS.—September 30.

Georgina Davis, for Brisbane via Camden Haven; Jane, for Port Stephens; Santa Cruz, Mana, Menschikoff, for Newcastle; Magic, Florence Peat, for Bateman's Bay; Advance, for Clyde River.

IMPORTS.—September 29.

[A special charge is made for consignees' notices in this column.]

Corinna (s.), from Launceston: 3980 ingots tin, 100 empty cases, 1 cask mutton birds, 1 case plants, and 5 packages sundries.

September 30.

Karoola, from Johnston River, via Dungeness: 2490 bags sugar, 140 hides, 26 packages bones, 16 casks tallow, 18 packages cane plants.

Dupliex (s.), from Noumea: 1709 bags cobalt ore, 791 sacks chrome ore, 27 bales wool, 355 packages copra, 2 bundles 515 hides, 21 packages skins, 46 half-sacks 35 sacks coffee, 25 empties, and sundries.

Elamang (s.), from Melbourne. For Sydney: 142 packages tea, 6 casks printing ink, 398 cakes spelter, 100 boxes dates, 10 cases mineral oil, 335 bags chaff, 2885 bags flour, and 47 packages merchandise and sundries; and 200 tons for Northern ports.

Rodondo (s.), from Brisbane: 2591 bags sugar, 6 boxes gold, 246 hides, 27 bales wool, 11 hogsheads tallow, 3722 mats sugar, 31 cases pines, 13 packages sundries, 22 cows, and 100 tons for Melbourne and Adelaide.

Barrabool (s.), from Melbourne: 17 bales corks, 97 kegs and 150 casks soda, 10 packages machinery, 21 cases galvanised iron, 20 cases ale, 20 cases whisky, 155 ½-chests tea, 1 quarter-cask rum, 1 quarter-cask whisky, 10 cases and 10 bags kapok, 2 crates vegetables, 56 bags flour, 78 bags onions, 500 bags potatoes, 480 bags maize, 1 wool press, a quantity of sundries, and 300 tons for northern ports.

May, from Bluff: 3425 bags oats.

Ex H. G. Johnson: 200 cases kerosene, 7 cases saws and files, 7 cases 1 barrel lanterns, 57 cases axes and hatchets, 6 cases picks, 4 cases braces, 4 cases augers, H. and C. hooks, hammers, and stencil combinations; 1 case shipping tags, 1 case screw drivers, 1 case emery wheels, 4 cases axle clips and mall castings, 2 cases coach colours, 1 case leather, 1 case liquid glue, 1 case brushes, 1 case fifth wheels, 4 cases lamp chimneys, 1 case drill, 6 cases bolts, 1 case transfers, 1 case bits, 1 bale I. R. buffers—Roberts, Chalmers, and Co., Importers, 54, York-street; Hay, Engine, and Harbour streets.

Ex Skelmorlie: 1 case furniture polish, 2 casks hammers and maul rings, 2 casks copper wire, 1 case jack chain, 1 cask gate clips, 2 bales pump butts, 1 bale belt laces, 1 bale plough lines, 2 cases wire rope and picture cord; 3 cases 1 cask bits, augers, adzes, and wedges; 1 case fish hooks, 2 casks scales, 2 casks weights, 7 cases puller blocks, 6 casks horseshoes, 1 bar shafting (8½in.), 207 boxes horsenails, 40 bundles hoop iron, 7 cases saws, 2 kegs staples, 2 bales mops, 1 case 29 bundles springs, 36 pairs axle arms, 2 cases axle and spring clips, 1 case steps, 2 cases panel and gimp pins, 2 cases lamps, 2 cases drill and duck, 26 steel plates, 19 rolls lead, 1 cask 6 cases forges and bellows, 2 cases vices, 5 casks files and rasps, 1 case vice boxes and pins, 1 case rakes, 8 casks lead pipe, 50 cases G. C. iron, 10 tons fencing wire—Roberts, Chalmers, and Co., Importers, 54, York-street; Hay, Engine, and Harbour streets, Sydney.

Ex Hereward, Dunkeld, Rome, Skelmorlie, and Illawarra: 20 kegs shot, 16 cases Eley's shot cartridges and bulleted caps, 2 casks rabbit traps, 3 cases wire meat covers, 3 cases Avery's scales, 25 cases galvanised roofing, screws, and nails, 7 cases saddler's wire clouts, 4 casks T hinges, 3 cases tinned baking and pie dishes, 3 casks hollowware; 54 packages containing iron weights, hobble chains, Dixon's knobs, Snider rifles, Adelaide corkscrews, whitewash brushes, end. bakers' and milk pans, dog chains, glasspaper, copper nails and tacks, galvanised rudder irons, tinned mattress wire, &c., &c.—Justus Scharff, 18, York-street.

Ex Illawarra: 20 cases cartridges—John Keep and Son, corner of King and Clarence streets.

Ex Skelmorlie: 671 cases and casks Holbrook and Co.'s celebrated pickles, sauce, and vinegar—W. H. Ariell and Co., Kent-street.

Ex Illawarra: 200 cases Anglo-Scandinavian Gold Medal condensed milk—W. H. Ariell and Co., Kent-street.

Ex Skelmorlie: 430 bundles, 992 bars Netherton bar iron; 85 cases Thames brand G. C. iron; 5 barrels and 25 drums olive oil; 6 barrels colza oil; 24 barrels, 660 kegs Champion's white lead—John Keep and Son, corner of King and Clarence streets.

EXPORTS.—September 30.

Quiraing (s.), for Melbourne: 7358 packages sugar, 1091 cases fruit, 100 bunches bananas, 147 bales wool, 72 bags oysters, 218 bags pea and cocoa nuts, 162 sacks copra, 80 packages drapery, 115 packages tea, 8 cases machinery, 269 cases starch, 4 casks vinegar, 14 cases tongues, 4 tanks 13 cases mustard, 1 tank 377 cases blue, 10 cases fruit salt, 10 cases tartaric acid, 16 cases hams, 16 cases beef, 31 cases capers, 113 cases limejuice cordial, 48 cases spice, 17 cases hops, 12 cases Japanese curios, 12 casks pork, 26 drums paint, 8 cases cuticura, 13 cases confectionery, 7 cases cocoa, 2 ponies, and sundries, and original cargo from Brisbane.

Taupo (s.), for Fiji, via Newcastle and Norfolk Island: 48 bags sugar, 10 cases kerosene, 15 coils wire, 4 cases china, 5 packages tea, 3 boxes candles, 6 cases ironmongery, and 35 packages sundries for Norfolk Island; 72 bags pollard for Suva; and 1825 packages merchandise, original cargo from Melbourne.

Buninyong (s.), for Melbourne: 2100 tons coal, 1856 cases fruit, 8 cases plated-ware, 4 packages plants, and sundries.

R.M.S. Rome, for London, via ports: 887 bales wool, 6 bales marsupial skins, 30 bales leather, 25 bales basils, 1 case furs, 90 cases cheese, 4 cases seed, 1 package chronometer, 2773 cases meats, 13 cases extract, 37 packages tea, 5995 ingots (200 tons 1cwt. 0qr. 20lb.) tin, 914 bars lead bullion (34 tons), 1540 cakes (64 tons 10cwt. 2qr. 11lb.) copper, 3 packages oxide of iron, and 7 packages sundries.

Soochow (s.), for Hongkong, via ports: 41 cases galvanised iron, 12 packages nails, 67 iron girders, 15 bars 4 bundles iron, 4 cases handles, 25 cases vestas, 2 packages wines and spirits, 50 packages ale, 20 cases and casks bottled beer, 90 bags bran, 50 sacks oats, 30 cases brandy, a quantity of sleepers, 391 pieces timber, 20 cases geneva, 10 cases beef, 112 cases kerosene, 20 packages beche-de-mer, 260 packages horseshoes, 26 packages glass, 1 package copper, 2 casks zinc, 5 packages brass, 203 bags rice, 60 sacks sago, 10 bales gunnies, and a large quantity of sundries.

Ranelagh (s.), for Rockhampton, via ports: 730 cases fruit, 1096 bags flour, 250 bags potatoes, 580 casks cement, 278 cases canned fruit, 105 cases currants, 15 bales paper bags, 70 casks beer, 25 kegs butter, 44 coils wire, 65 packages drapery, 30 cases champagne, 30 cases and 20 quarter-casks rum, 5 cases vinegar, 50 packages boots, 12 casks shale waste, 18 crates stoves, 20 sacks oatmeal, 19 rolls netting, 15 cases galvanised iron, 76 cases pickles, 18 ingots bronze, 3 cases clocks, 3 cases diving gear, 150 bags oats, 364 bags maize, 34 packages hops, 11 bags fire clay, 30 cases schnapps, 30 cases golden syrup, 8 casks soda crystals, 15 quarter-casks and 95 cases brandy, 12 cases barbs, 13 cases paint, 12 camp ovens, 24 boxes mustard, 10 cases jam, 10 bags rice, 1 tank malt, 25 cases geneva, 75 bags bran, 217 packages hardware, 275 bars and bundles iron, 3 horses, and sundries.

## TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.

(From our own correspondents.)

Brisbane.—September 30—Arrived: Gunga (s.), from Mackay; Eurimbla (s.), from Sydney; and Fawn, barque, from Port Pirie. Sailed: Barcoo (s.) and Derwent (s.), for Sydney; and Burwah (s.), for Maryborough and Rockhampton. The You Yangs (s.), for Cairns, left Maryborough yesternight. The Glanworth (s.), Rockhampton for Sydney, left Bundaberg this morning. The Yaralla (s.), from Brisbane, arrived at Bundaberg this morning. The Loongana, barque, left Bundaberg yesternight for New Zealand. The Geelong (s.), Cairns for Brisbane passed Bustard Head this morning. The Balmain (s.), left Rockhampton to-day for Sydney. The Katoomba (s.), Cooktown for Sydney, arrived at Flattop Island this morning and sailed. The Birksgate (s.), for Cooktown, left Flattop Island this morning. The Victoria (s.), Normanton for Sydney, left Townsville yesterday afternoon. The Centra (s.) arrived at Cooktown this morning from Sydney. The Airlie (s.), Hongkong for Sydney, and Orellana, barque, from London, anchored in Moreton Bay to-day. The Balmain (s.) left Rockhampton this morning for Brisbane. The Oressa, ship, left Townsville yesternight for Newcastle.

Yamba.—Arrivals: September 30, Terranora (s.), from Ballina. Departure: September 30, Fiona (s.), for Sydney.

Ballina.—Arrival: September 30, Tweed (s.), from Tweed River, at 2.40 p.m. Departures: September 30, Terranora (s.), for Clarence River, at 8 a.m.; Tweed (s.), for Tweed River, at 5.25 p.m.

Newcastle.—Arrivals: September 30, Namoi (s.), Sydney (s.), Lubra (s.), Karaweera (s.), Tamar (s.), Phœbe (s.), Saxonia (s.), Adonis, Spurwing, Bowra (s.), from Sydney. Departures: September 30, Taramung (s.), Nemesis (s.), for Melbourne; Saxony, for Wallaroo; Wendouree (s.), Lubra (s.), Bowra (s.), Sydney (s.), Namoi (s.), Phœbe (s.), Garran, Marie, for Sydney.

Gabo Island.—Passed: September 30, Fiado (s.), at 5.30 a.m.; Glaucus (s.), at 9.55 a.m., west.

Melbourne.—Arrivals: September 30, Liguria, R.M.S., from London; Easby (s.), from Newcastle; Gambier (s.), from Sydney; Silverdale, from Liverpool. Departures: September 30, Habsburg (s.), Gabo (s.), for Sydney; Thora, Lindus (s.), Friedrich Jensbscot, for Newcastle; Ophir, for Puget Sound; C. Tobias, for Bandoewangie.

Adelaide.—Arrival: September 30, Changsha (s.), from Hongkong. Departure: De Capo, for Guam.

(From board at telegraph office.)

Tweed Heads.—Departure: September 30, Tweed, tug, at 8.20 a.m. Passed: September 30, a large steamer, at 8.30 a.m., north.

Richmond Heads.—Arrival: September 30, Tweed, tug, at 2.40 p.m., from Tweed River. Departure: September 30, Terranora (s.), for Clarence River. Thirteen feet on bar at high water.

Clarence Heads.—Arrival: September 30, Terranora (s.), at 1.10 p.m.

Brunswick Heads.—Departure: September 30, Scout (s.), at 6.30 p.m., for Brisbane.

Nambucca Heads.—Departures: September 30, Sea Flower, Helena Davis, Barrangarry, at 6 a.m., for Sydney; Bertha, at 7 a.m., for Brisbane.

Bellinger Heads.—Departure: September 30, Fernmount (s.), at 7 a.m., for Sydney, via Wolgolga.

Macleay Heads.—Arrival: September 30, Queen of the South (s.), at 5.40 a.m.

Port Macquarie.—Arrivals: September 30, Wellington (s.), at 7.35 a.m., from Nambucca River; Alert, tug, at 7.45 a.m., from Camden Haven. Departure: September 30, Wellington (s.), at 5.40 p.m., for Sydney. Passed: September 30, Wyrallah (s.), at 10.25 a.m., north.

Manning River.—Departure: September 30, Louisa Messell, at 11.20 a.m.

Port Stephens.—Departure: September 30, Kingsley (s.), at 12.30 p.m.

Wollongong.—Arrivals: September 30, Allowrie (s.), Civility (s.), from Sydney. Departures: September 30, Allowrie (s.) and Civility (s.), for Kiama.

Kiama.—Arrival: September 30, Lass o' Gowrie, at 4 p.m., from Sydney.

Crookhaven Heads.—Arrival: September 30, Meeinderry (s.), at 5.15 a.m., from Sydney.

Ulladulla.—Arrival: September 30, Elsinore.

Moruya Heads.—Arrival: September 30, Moses Fletcher, from Wollongong.

Eden.—Arrival: September 29, Bega (s.), at 9.30 p.m., from Sydney.

Green Cape.—Passed: September 30, Glaucus (s.), at 7.20 a.m.; Titus (s.), at 5.30 p.m., south.

Gabo Island.—Passed: September 30, Fiado (s.), at 5.30 a.m.; Glaucus (s.), at 9.55 a.m., west.

Melbourne.—Arrivals: September 30, Easby (s.), from Newcastle; Gambier (s.), from Sydney; Silverdale, ship, from Liverpool.

Formby.—Arrival: September 29, Moreton (s.), at 8 p.m., from Melbourne.

Adelaide.—Arrival: September 30, Victorian (s.), from Melbourne.

Swan Island.—Passed: September 30, a brig, before daylight, west.

## ENGLISH AND FOREIGN SHIPPING.

(Per Merchant Shipping and Underwriters' Association, Limited.)

LONDON, Sept. 29.

Arrivals.—From Lyttleton: Doric (s.), sailed August 20, via Rio Janeiro September 11. From Auckland: Easterhill, barque, sailed June 11.

At Rotterdam.—Arrived from Sydney: Bengal, barque, sailed May 20.

*(For continuation of Shipping Intelligence see page 14.)*

## *MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL*

Friday Evening.

In the Stock and Share market to-day very little business was done, and quotations were about the same as yesterday. The following sales were reported:—At 1 o'clock: Balmain Ferry, 19s. 6d.; Australian General Assurance, 7¼; United Insurance, 67s. 6d.; Australian Gaslight Company, 15; Mont de Piete, 20s. 6d.; Perpetual Trustees, 10s. 9d., 11s. At 4 o'clock: Joint Stock Bank, 17; Queensland National Bank, 9¾; Bank of New Zealand (Sydney Register), 16¾; A. S. N. Co., 14¾; Balmain Ferry Steam, 19s. 6d.; United Insurance, 67s. 6d. Closing quotations were:—

BANKS.

| | Buyer. | Seller. | | Buyer. | Seller. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| A. J. Bank ... | 16¾ | 17 | N. S. Wales ... | 63½ | 63 |
| City, ex new issue ... | — | 16⅜ | New shares ... | — | — |
| New issue, £3 paid ... | — | 97/ | N.Z., Syd. reg. | 16½ | 17 |
| Commercial ... | 113 | 114 | Ditto, N.Z. reg. | 15½ | 16 |
| Com. of Austr. | — | — | Q'land National | 9¼ | 9¾ |
| Federal ... | 68/ | 70/ | Rl. Bk. of Qd. | 92/ | — |
| Mercantile ... | 5¾ | 6 | Union | 57 | — |
| | | | National of Australasia .. | 9¾ | — |

STEAM.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Australasian ... | 14½ | 15 | Newcastle ... | 13/ | 14/6 |
| Balmain Ferry... | 19/ | 20/ | Ditto, new sh'rs, 10s paid | 9/6 | 11/ |
| C. R. R. ... | 7½ | — | N Shore Ferry... | 39/ | 40/ |
| Ditto preferent . | 14 | — | Port Jackson ... | 56/6 | 58/ |
| Hunter River ... | — | 10½ | | | |
| Illawarra ... | 7½ | — | | | |

INSURANCE.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| General ... | 7 | — | New S. Wales ... | 11d | 1/4 |
| Austra. Mutual . | — | 15/6 | New Zealand ... | — | 73/ |
| City Mutual | 1/3 | 1/5 | Pacific ... | — | 19/ |
| Hull and General | — | — | Sydney Mutual . | — | — |
| Merc. Mutual ... | 3/11 | 4/ | United ... | 67/6 | 68/ |

MISCELLANEOUS.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Aus. Gas, ex new | 14½ | 15 | Mont de Piete... | 20/ | 21/ |
| New, first call paid ... | 6¾ | 6¾ | Perkins and Co. | 42/ | 44/ |
| Ctl'maine Brew. | 28/ | — | Ditto (new) ... | — | 26/6 |
| City Carrying ... | 5/ | 6/6 | Saywell's ... | 20/9 | 21/6 |
| Emu Gravel and Road Metal ... | 11/ | — | Shale and Oil ... | — | 5/3 |
| Hudson Bros. 17s 6d paid ... | 3/6 | 4/ | Exchange ... | 13½ | 15 |
| | | | Vol. Land Order | — | 168 |
| | | | Perpetual Trustee Co. ... | 11/ | 11/3 |

LAND AND BUILDING COMPANIES.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Anglo-A.I.F.I.... | 5¼ | — | Syd. Freehold ... | 22/9 | — |
| Ditto, £1 paid ... | 22/6 | — | Syd. and Provincial Land ... | — | 4¾ |
| C. B and In. ... | 63/ | — | Sydney and Sub. | 4¼ | 5¼ |
| Excelsior ... | — | — | Syd. Permanent | 34 | 36 |
| Mer. B. L. & In. | 17/6 | 20/ | Industrial Provident ... | 23½ | — |
| Ditto, 7s paid ... | — | 6/3 | | | |
| Metrop. B and I. | 5¼ | 5½ | | | |

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New S. Wales Funded ... | 102 | — | Debentures due 1902 ... | 104 | — |

Monday next having been proclaimed a public holiday in the county of Cumberland, the Exchange will be closed, and monetary and commercial business generally will be suspended.

The Sydney Underwriters' Association opened their new offices in Hamilton-street to-day. The managers of nearly all the insurance companies lunched together under the presidency of Mr. P. J. Clark. The toast, "Prosperity to the Association," was duly honoured, and the chairman in a brief speech touched upon the leading incidents in its history, and of the prospects of increasing usefulness which the insurance business presented.

A meeting was held to-day, at the wool stores of Messrs. J. H. Geddes and Co., the Hon. G. H. Cox in the chair, to take into consideration a proposal to form the Wolseley sheep-shearing machine business into a company. The necessary shares having been applied for, the company was declared formed. The officers of the company were provisionally appointed, and Mr. F. Y. Wolseley appointed to become managing director.

The fourth annual meeting of the shareholders of the Cumberland Building, Land, and Investment Company, Limited, was held in the Masonic Hall, Parramatta, yesterday evening, Mr. G. Coates, sen., presiding. The report showed a net profit of £1801 18s. 11d. for the year, which was proposed to be appropriated as follows:—£1530 7s. 1d. to be divided amongst the shareholders, £250 to be placed to the credit of the reserve fund, and the balance to be carried forward. Messrs. W. H. Wesley and N. Harper were elected directors, and Messrs. G. Coates, jun., and T. Barnett, auditors. The usual votes of thanks were accorded at the close of the meeting, and a special vote was passed to Mr. Herbert Coates, one of the retiring directors, and who had occupied a seat on the board since the formation of the company.

In our advertising columns appears the prospectus of the Broadwater Park Poultry and Dairy Company, which is being formed with a capital of £20,000 in 20,000 shares of £1 each, to buy up an existing company's interest in the Broadwater Park Dairy Farm, near Brisbane. Other information will be supplied by Mr. H. Chapman, 143, King-street.

In the Import markets to-day business was quiet, the week, month, and quarter having, in fact, been periods of comparative depression. The general indebtedness of the commercial community, the state of the roads, and the proposed removal of the ad valorem and specific duties next month, have all contributed to the stagnation. It is hoped that when the freer policy comes into operation to-morrow, buyers who have been holding off will operate with greater activity, and under the influence of the warm weather the roads will speedily dry up. The receipt of the proceeds of the wool clip and of the crops to be harvested within the next quarter should have the effect of reducing where it does not entirely liquidate debt. Thus the outlook is encouraging, and trade may be expected to improve to some extent. But there is nothing in the position to warrant anything more than the most cautious buying, or to justify any marked extension of credit. Experience has shown merchants that business has been overdone in the past by the too easy terms on which goods have been supplied, a practice which has largely contributed to the present unsatisfactory state of affairs. And on all hands we hear of a disposition to curtail credit within more reasonable bounds. The competition which some time back caused the leading soft goods firms to concede practically five months' credit by allowing goods to be bought in one month and paid by four months bills from the 4th of the next month, helped to embarrass the position of the numerous country storekeepers who have lately failed. The concession has been disallowed and the previous practice resumed. Four months' credit is sufficiently long, and the relations of traders would be more satisfactory if the credit periods were still further shortened. In this connection it may be hoped that the Bankruptcy Bill will have a salutary influence in checking the career of a class of traders who often begin with nothing, and, after months or years, end with nothing, having in the meantime recklessly squandered nearly all the goods which their creditors have trusted them with. There is a very general opinion that the provision of the new bill which fixes 5s. in the £ as the sum to which a trader may reduce his assets without disentitling him to a certificate is too liberal; and it is variously thought that from 6s. 8d. to 10s. in the £ would be more satisfactory, as it would compel him to scrutinise his position more closely, and call his creditors together before his estate was almost hopelessly squandered, as is often the case now. The value of assets would be more accurately gauged; the absurd estimates often given would not avail to secure a certificate, but would rather furnish evidence of recklessness that should disentitle to one. The opinion prevails that whatever defects there may be in the bill, in the main its provisions are such as will effect a great improvement in the existing law. As to its imperfections, it will be incumbent on commercial men promptly to suggest improvements, the Government having shewn unexpected alacrity in pushing forward the bill. Referring to the ordinary course of trade to-day there was next to nothing done in breadstuffs. Flour is quoted at the following prices:—Adelaide, £9 10s. to £9 15s; South Australian country brands, £9 to £9 5s.; Victorian, £8 15s. to £9; New South Wales, £8 15s. to £10; roller-made, £9 10s. to £10 10s. Commenting on the British market position, the *Economist* thinks that the requirements of the year will be 27,000,000 quarters of wheat, of which it was estimated that the home crop would furnish 8,000,000 quarters, and 19,000,000 quarters would be needed from foreign sources, as against about 17,000,000 quarters in the previous year. It is thought that requirements would be met at a low price, for although the American and Indian wheat crops had both turned out much less prolific than those of 1886, the crop in nearly all importing countries was so good that England would be the only large importer. Locally, a moderate inquiry noticed for tea; and small lines have been moved off. Coffee is still at last week's prices, say 12½d. for No. 1 Ceylon Plantation. The market for dried fruits exhibits no material change. Writing from Smyrna at a late date, S. J. Protopazzi gives the probable crop of sultanas at 20 per cent. less than that of last year, the drought, moreover, having caused the fruit to be shrivelled. The yield of elemes, on the other hand, is given as 23,850 tons, about 950 tons more than in the previous year. The crop of figs was likely to be 25 per cent. less than the yield of last year, and far inferior in quality. In general grocery goods there is no marked feature, all lines being quoted at late current rates. Pepper is 2d. per lb. cheaper—the amount of the duty. In brewers' goods, trade is quiet. In liquids, a fair business has been done for delivery next month. A parcel of Aitken's bulk ale placed at current rates, and inquiries indicate that the beer trade will be better next month. Wines and spirits generally are without change. In metals, there is little to notice: sheet lead, £15 7s. 6d.; fencing wire firm at the advanced rates. Galvanised iron also well held, up to £18 10s. now being asked for best brands. Oils are without change. Woolpacks are being doled out at 3s. to 3s. 1½d. In drugs an advance in the English market has strengthened values locally, and 1s. 5½d. is required in bond. Carbonate of soda is scarce, and re-sales of shipments to arrive have been made at £10 10s., and we hear of as much as £14 to £15 being asked for spot lots.

The following is a return of the Customs collections at Sydney for the period from January 1 to September 30, for the years 1886 and 1887 respectively:—

| | 1886. | 1887. |
|---|---|---|
| January ... | £158,962 3 3 | £155,097 6 10 |
| February ... | 137,384 11 5 | 153,156 10 0 |
| March ... | 154,044 6 0 | 178,517 7 9 |
| April ... | 151,205 15 2 | 154,865 2 7 |
| May ... | 161,407 4 3 | 150,462 0 7 |
| June ... | 161,140 19 9 | 169,676 4 7 |
| July ... | 176,130 14 11 | 176,377 11 4 |
| August ... | 185,142 11 1 | 175,765 17 5 |
| September ... | 175,859 3 2 | 156,193 2 3 |
| Total ... | £1,464,257 9 0 | £1,470,129 3 2 |
| Increase for the above period... | | £5,871 14 2 |

Elsewhere we reprint the new tariff, which will come into force to-morrow (Saturday).

R. Goldsbrough and Co., Limited, have received the following cablegram, dated London, 29th September: —"There is no change in this market to report since our last cable. Larger attendance of buyers. The present series will close on the 5th of October."

English commercial files to hand to-day state that on August 26, consequent on the rumoured further withdrawal of money from the bank for the United States, and the impression that the bank authorities would very likely raise their rate of discount on an early day, there had been increased firmness in the money market, and three months' bills had been negotiated at from 2¾ to 3 per cent., or equal to the current bank rate. The supply of money being plentiful, call loans had ranged from ½ to 1 per cent., with very little demand. Closing quotations for bank stocks were:—Bank of Australasia, 101, 104; Bank of New South Wales, 66, 68; Bank of New Zealand, 22½, 23½; Commercial of Australia, 9, 10; English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered, 33, 34; London Chartered of Australia, 24½, 25½; Queensland National, Limited, 12¼, 12¾; Union of Australia, 62½, 63½.

A paragraph in our shipping column shows that during the quarter ended to-day the shipping arrivals in Sydney number 410, with a registered tonnage of 377,542, against 396 vessels, of 344,787 registered tons, in the previous three months.

The P. and O. Company's R.M.S. Rome left to-day for London, via ports, with 887 bales wool, 6 bale marsupial skins, 30 bales leather, 25 bales basils, 1 case furs, 90 cases cheese, 4 cases seed, 1 package chronometer, 2773 cases meats, 13 cases extract, 37 packages tea, 5995 ingots (200 tons 1cwt. 20lb.) tin, 914 bars lead bullion (34 tons), 1540 cakes (64 tons 10cwt. 2qr. 11lb.) copper, 3 packages oxide of iron, and 7 packages sundries.

The following was the Customs revenue received to-day:—

Spirits, £1350 17s. 3d.; wine (still), £120 6s. 6d.; wine (sparkling), £10; ale, porter, and beer (in wood), £12 10s.; ale, porter, and beer (in bottle), £15 3s. 8d.; tobacco and snuff, £203 2s.; tobacco (for manufacturing purposes only), £488 14s.; cigars, £65 10s. 8d.; cigarettes, £32 17s. 3d.; tea, £350 19s. 9d.; sugar (unrefined), £461 10s.; opium, £47 15s.; rice, £14 14s. 8d.; dried fruits, £53 12s. 6d.; nuts, £1 3s. 2d.; specific duty, £365 8s.; ad valorem, £683 14s. 4d.; harbour and light rates, £59 15s. 8d.; pilotage (Sydney), £185 10s. 8d.; colonial distilled spirits, £34 18s. 8d.; harbour dues, £14; excise on beer, £517 6s. 0d.; excise on tobacco, £500; excise on cigars and cigarettes, £25; Chinese restriction, £50; fisheries royalty, £5 2s.: total, £5669 12s. 3d.

STOCK SALES.

Griffiths and Weaver report the following sales, viz.:—At Homebush: On account Mr. T. O'Dwyer, Glenariff, 431 wethers at 7s 1d to 8s 3d, and 45 at 5s 6d; on account Mr. R. Bell, Winderadeen, 443 wedders at 9s 3d to 9s 5d, and 57 at 8s 1d; on account Messrs. G. A. and P. Mein, Herbert Downs (with R. P. Simpson) 225 bullocks at £6 14s 3d, and 37 cows at £4 17s 5d. By auction at Singleton: On account Mr. W. G. Dangar, Neotsfield, the whole of his well-known stud shorthorn herd, viz., 115 heifers and cows up to 47 guineas (averaging £15 17s 6d), and 1 bull at 109 guineas; also, on account Mr. G. L. Lethbridge, Bridgman, 23 bulls at £6 6s each. By auction at Orange (with J. S. Leeds and Co.): On account Mr. Walter Douglas, from Ghinda-Ghinda, 1020 mixed store cattle at £3 4s 11d average. By auction at Narranders (with H. Manning and Co.): On account Mr. Walter Douglas, Brighton Downs, 750 bullocks at £7 8s to £5 9s 6d; and privately, on account Mr. H. C. White, Havilah, 1 stud ram at 120 guineas, 1 at 100 guineas, and (with the N., M., and A. Company of Australasia, Limited) 250 flock hogget rams at £4.—(Advt.)

## LATEST COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, Sept. 29.

The Bank of England returns issued to-day show the proportion of the reserve to liabilities to be 44 per cent., and the total reserve in notes and bullion £11,100,000.

New South Wales 3½-per-cent. loan, £98 15s.
Queensland 4-per-cent. loan, £102 10s.
New Zealand 4-per-cent. loan, £100.

At the wool sales to-day, 10,200 bales were offered. There is a fair demand. The withdrawals to date are 28,500 bales.

(From our own correspondents.)

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Wheat sold at 3s. 6d., ex station. Flour is dull, the quotation being £7 15s. for stone made. Oats, New Zealand, 2s. 9d.; fair to good stout, 2s. 10½d. Barley is scarce. Maize is steady at 3s. 7d. Jute goods sold at late rates. Sugar is quiet. Teas are more in demand.

Share Report.—Sales: Commercial Bank, £9 8s. 6d., £9 9s.; Tramway and Omnibus, 36s. 6d., 36s. 9d.

BRISBANE, Friday.

Business in the import market is brisk. Country orders are coming in well, and a healthy tone is prevailing. The breadstuffs' market is weak, and prices have a downward tendency. The sugar market continues firm. Large supplies from the north are now preventing anything like a scarcity of stocks. Low whites £17 10s. to £18; good qualities from £19 to £21. Yellows are moving freely from £14 10s. to £16 10s.; low rations, £9 to £11. Produce is unchanged.

## THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

Melbourne, 7 p.m.
Adelaide, 7 p.m.
Hobart and Launceston, 7 p.m.
Queensland, 9.30 p.m.
Townsville, Cooktown, Thursday Island, Port Darwin, and Hongkong, 9 a.m.
Richmond River, 10 a.m.
Merimbula and Eden, 11 a.m.
Brisbane and Northern Ports, 12 noon.
Batavia and Singapore, 12 noon.
Manning River, 1 p.m.
Hobart and Launceston, 1 p.m.
Brisbane, Northern Ports, and Thursday Island, 1 p.m.
Clarence River, 8 p.m.
Macleay River, 8 p.m.

MONDAY.

Dunedin and Invercargill, 9 a.m.

TUESDAY.

Brisbane and Northern Ports, 3 p.m. and 4 p.m.
New Hebrides, 6 p.m.
Clarence River, 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY.

Auckland, and all New Zealand Ports, Navigator's Island, Honolulu, San Francisco, United States of America, Canada, United Kingdom, and Continent of Europe, 2 p.m.

DESPATCH OF MAILS FOR THE UNITED KINGDOM.

| Despatched by | Date. | Letters. | Newspapers. | Late Letters. |
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| U. S. S. Zealandia | Wednesday, 5th October. | Registered 1 p.m. Ordinary, 2 p.m. 6d the ½-oz. | 1 p.m. 1d each. | For the United Kingdom Honolulu, United States of America, and Canada, will be received at the Custom House and General Post Office up to 3.30 p.m. |

For rates to places other than the United Kingdom see Postal Guide.

Mails for the United Kingdom per Union Steamship Zealandia will be due in London on the 14th November.

PARCELS POST.

Parcels addressed to the United Kingdom, and certain Foreign Countries via the United Kingdom, will be received at the Parcels Office, George-street, for transmission per Orient Company's steamer Lusitania, up to noon on MONDAY, the 10th October. Parcels not exceeding 2lb. in weight, 2s; for every additional lb. or fraction thereof, 1s.

## *ABSTRACT of SALES by AUCTION THIS DAY.*

GARRARD and HAMILTON.—At Hudson's Timber Yard, at 2.30. Timber.
E. FRENCH.—At Newtown Markets, at 3, Furniture, &c.
G. BROWN.—At 114, George-street West, at 2.30, Musical Instruments.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH.—On the ground, Clareville Estate, at 3, Land.
MORT and CO.—At Stores, at 10, Sheepskins.
F. L. BARKER.—At his Stores, at 9.30, Horns, Bones, &c.
HARDIE and GORMAN.—On the ground, Fowler's Estate Camperdown, at 3, Land.
BATT, RODD, and PURVES.—On the ground, Tennyson, Land.
O'BRIEN BROS.—At Iron Cove Bay, Leichhardt, at 3, Boats, &c.
J. BRIDGE.—At Stores, at 10, Sheepskins, Horns, &c.
HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN.—At at 10, Sheepskins.
PITT, SON, and BADGERY.—At Muswellbrook, at 2, Cattle.
A. AGNEW.—At King-street, Newtown, at 3, Furniture, Fancy Goods, &c.
J. P. LISTER.—At Rooms, at 10, Furniture, &c.
WATKIN and WATKIN.—At 171, York-street, at 3, Toronto Estate, Lake Macquarie.
G. T. CLARKE and CO.—At Junction and Walker streets, North Shore, at 12, Horse, Cart, &c.
H. HAINS.—At 94, Wellington-street, Waterloo, at 3, Furniture, &c.

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ICE, ICE, ICE.—ALWAYS KEPT IN ICE.—Hunter River Meadow Butter, Cambridge Sausages, Loins of Pork, and Pork Chops. Illawarra Dairy Company, 111, King-street, and 55, Oxford-street.

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TO-DAY. TO-DAY. TO-DAY.

TENNYSON, TO-DAY. TENNYSON, TO-DAY.

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THE SALE IS TO-DAY. TO-DAY. TO-DAY. See Auction Column.

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# The Sydney Morning Herald.

*SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1887.*

To-day the ad valorem and additional specific duties come off, and the trade of the colony will be freer than it has been for many years. Not indeed since the tariff of Sir E. DEAS-THOMSON was in force have the Customs duties been less oppressive than they will be henceforth. It is perfectly true that our tariff has always been the most liberal among the tariffs of the Australian colonies, and that in consequence the colony has been more favourably treated by capitalists in the matter of loans and otherwise than any other. Nevertheless, it is also a fact that until the Parliament adopted the tariff which comes into operation to-day, the tendency even of our fiscal system has been in the direction of protection. This was due in the first place to the growth of the sugar, tobacco, kerosene, wine, and other industries, the ever-increasing local production of which has reduced the Customs revenues on these articles, giving the amount of the reduction to the local producers. The failure to watch and check this infringement on the rights of the people, by the imposition of adequate excise provisions, is responsible for a very considerable loss of revenue, and interference with the free trade of the community generally. In the second place, the original tariff of Sir E. DEAS-THOMSON has at different times been deranged by the addition of new duties of a directly protective character. No doubt their enactment was avowedly for revenue purposes. Twice ad valorem duties have so been imposed, namely, in 1865 and in 1886. It is remarkable that the great inflation of the land revenue was the cause of the discontinuance of these duties when first set up, and that to the absorption of the surplus and the decline of the current land revenue was due the imposition of the second batch of ad valorem duties.

Cavillers will no doubt say that the new tariff is not entirely a free-trade tariff—that the Government did not to the very letter carry out their professed intentions. And on looking down the list of dutiable articles, published in another column, it may be admitted that there are still there some which a rigid freetrader would disapprove of. But there is force in the reply that it is not right to destroy industries that have grown up under the operation and encouragement of the import duties. It would be hard, for instance, to justify a motion to the effect that the duty on kerosene should be abolished in three or six months—such a motion as was once proposed by Mr. DIBBS. Consideration should be shown to those who have established industries. We trust, nevertheless, that our Governments will aim steadily to limit the scope and operation of the duties which create vested rights and monopolies inimical to the interests of the community, and that at any rate their public policy will be regulated in accord with the language used by Mr. BURNS in his Budget speech: "We also hold that the moment any tax gives even what is called incidental protection it should be modified or repealed." If that course had been pursued by the successive Governments who have allowed revenue duties to become protective, the work of the Government last session would have been very much simplified. It was the industries which had grown up under the operation of the law that created the difficulty.

The colony is to be congratulated on the free tariff, especially on the ground that it was the result of an appeal to the people. The fiscal question was the test question with the constituencies. More than two-thirds of the people determined that the colony should not go on drifting in the direction of protection, and they sent to the right-about a number of candidates who made sure that the system was about to be inaugurated, with themselves as champions and leaders. Never did the country say anything more clearly than that it desired free commercial intercourse with all the world; and Sir HENRY PARKES and the members of his Government met a new Parliament with a large majority of its members pledged to abolish the ad valorem duties, as well as some other duties having a protective incidence. Whatever truth there was in the statement that protection was being "sneaked in," it is undoubtedly a fact that the people in the most open way declared that they would have none of it. If Sir HENRY PARKES and his Government, in regard to a few articles, yielded to the exigencies of a Parliamentary party, it must be said that was not the wish of the colony, which pronounced most unmistakably for free trade.

Everyone should rejoice in the inauguration of the new tariff, because it is in the interest of the colony as a whole. The great wealth-producers, those engaged in the pastoral, the agricultural, and the mining industries, who furnish almost everything which goes to keep the subsidiary industries in operation, are not and cannot be benefited by being unequally taxed to maintain the employment of other classes. If they have to pay duties ranging from 5 to 50 per cent. on the various articles required by them in the development of the country's resources, or on their food or clothing, clearly they are so far handicapped in their competition with the producers of America, or India, or any other continent. They have so much less to distribute throughout our own community. The great wealth-producers of America have long been struggling under the weight of the duties which the artisan populations of the Eastern States have been sufficiently numerous to impose. But recent news seems to show that the day of deliverance is not far off. Our graziers, and farmers, and miners have reason to be glad that they have hitherto escaped the exactions which in America have long been felt, and which in Victoria and other Australian colonies are already complained of. If the new tariff be compared with that of Victoria or New Zealand, or with that of any other colony, where ad valorem and other duties ranging from 10 to 50 per cent. are in force, every one will see how well off in this colony are those who, depending on honest unassisted labour themselves, are not called upon by State enactment to assist others in work which, until it can be done here without aid, had better be done outside.

It is remarkable that the year which frees this colony from a number of its protective duties, is a year in which nearly all the other colonies are increasing those duties. Industries established under their operation have not prospered, and heavier duties have been demanded and granted by the respective Legislatures. Another coincidence is significant—that whilst in other colonies bad times have directly promoted the protectionist system, in New South Wales a fuller measure of commercial freedom has been given under the strain of adverse circumstances. It will be interesting to watch the progress of the colonies under their diametrically opposite fiscal systems. In the intercolonial and Polynesian trade New South Wales cannot fail to have an advantage over other colonies. Although the operation of the ad valorem duties was but for a brief period, it is known to have prejudicially affected the re-export trade of Sydney, especially with Queensland. Therefore their removal must be regarded with satisfaction, and the change in policy cannot fail to enhance the commercial prestige of Sydney and Newcastle.

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From a recent telegram in the *Times*, which we publish this morning, as well as from our St. Petersburg letter, which will be found in another column, we learn that a remarkable change is coming over the views of the Russian authorities in the matter of public education. The experience of the Russian authorities would appear to be that people refuse to be content to regard knowledge as an end only; they are disposed to make it a means of scrutinising the system under which they live, and, as it would appear, they arrive at conclusions not quite in harmony with those of the governing class. Some time ago there was a mania in Russia for spreading classical education among all classes, and M. KATKOFF, the late editor of the *Moscow Gazette*, will be remembered as one of those who gave an impetus to the system which is now condemned. It appears to have been believed by those who advocated the dissemination of it that an acquaintance with classical lore would have a humanising effect upon the minds of the rising generation, and that, therefore, it would be well that increased facilities should be granted to enable students to pass through the Universities. But, contrary to all expectation, Nihilism has not shown any tendency to diminish with increased mental cultivation, and the youth of to-day have no greater liking for autocratic power than those who were offered less opportunity for educational advancement. The truth, indeed, is that the students of Russian Universities have been showing quite as strong a taste for the use of dynamite as any other class of the CZAR's subjects, and it has been decided to restrict the entry into the higher schools of students whose parents are below a certain rank. The circular conveying the decision of the Ministry of Public Education is a very curious document. It begins by stating the concern which is felt by the Minister for the improvement of the class of students in the gymnasia and pro-gymnasia, and continues in these remarkable words:—"Therefore, strictly observing this principle, the gymnasia and pro-gymnasia will henceforth refuse to receive as pupils the children of domestic servants, of cooks, washerwomen, small shopkeepers, and others of the like condition, whose children, with the exception, perhaps, of those gifted with extraordinary capacities, should not be raised from the circle to which they belong, and be thereby led, as long experience has shown, to despise their parents, to become discontented with their lot, and irritated against the inevitable inequalities of existing social positions."

There is a certain grim humour about the phrase "inevitable inequalities of existing social positions;" and unless the mind of the Minister had become completely fixed in the groove of Imperialism, he must have smiled as he settled with a phrase a question which is agitating a large number of the Russian people. And yet the words which we have quoted are in themselves a singlar confession that the result of education has been to convince many that present inequalities are not wholly "inevitable," although they may be so under existing conditions. Ignorant people have hitherto been content to believe in an autocratic system; educated or partially educated people are beginning to hold very different views. The remarkable conclusion is therefore reached by the Russian authorities that education is wrong; it does not seem to occur to them to ask whether the fault may not lie with the social system under which they live. But perhaps the most striking thing about the circular is the quiet selfishness which pervades it. If anything were needed to condemn the Russian system of government, it would be the plain assumption that what by all civilised nations is debated with reference to the general interests of the people, is regarded under it as concerning the comfort of the governing class only. There is no thought whether education will have that elevating effect which elsewhere is pleaded in justification of the undertaking of it by the State. The latter, indeed, is to be little concerned with cases which require moral cultivation, but much with those who have got to the point at which the justification for State education ceases to exist. "It must be kept in view that the gymnasia and pro-gymnasia are schools which give access to the Universities and to the highest careers in the service of the State and the public, and that only children who learn well, and whose morality leaves nothing to be desired, should be educated in these establishments, so that they may produce well brought-up and well-intentioned young men of proved morality, for whom the directors may be able to answer in the future, not only before their superiors, but also, which is even more important, before their own consciences."

The clear intention of this regulation appears to be the denial of the means of education to any but those whose relatives are prepared to submit them to a political baptism, and to promise and vow that they will become from henceforth the faithful servants of autocracy, and the confessed enemies of the revolutionary party. It is true that some sort of education is to be provided for "the children of domestic servants, cooks, washerwomen, small shopkeepers, and others of the like condition." To these "lower and easier schools" are to be indicated. But a provision is made enabling the directors of these schools to exclude any student whose family life is not satisfactory, and it is only too likely that a free discretion will be exercised in the use of the power which is conferred by it.

To us, with whom the point to which State education should be carried is rather a question of cost than of any other principle, it seems not a little strange to watch an arbitrary endeavour to prevent the masses of a people from acquiring anything that is deserving of the name of knowledge altogether.. And yet from the point of view of self-interest those are doubtless right who in Russia desire to keep the people in a condition of ignorance. They cannot prevent the deluge; but perhaps they can put it off so far that it shall fall on the heads of another generation of rulers. They value a kind of power which is beginning to be less and less valued in other countries, and in keeping the people in darkness they are taking the best means of retaining it a little longer. There is no iconoclast like knowledge where the icon is representative only of what has ceased to be right and natural; and those who have striven to maintain antiquated conditions, whether as rulers in Church or in State, have always striven to keep it from those over whom they have ruled. But if the Russian authorities are now awaking to a sense of their mistake in the past, they will not find it easy of repair. The wedge has found an entrance, if only a small one, and the blows of succeeding years will drive it home, until the whole fabric be eventually split asunder. In the meanwhile they will have to contend with the discontent which is sure to accompany the withdrawal of privileges which have once been granted, and find one more difficulty added to the maintenance of autocratic government. But if the spread of knowledge be a danger to those who rule by tyranny, it is the reverse to government founded upon freer conditions. If knowledge be iconoclastic, it is destructive only of the images which represent false principles. A moment's reflection will teach even those who deplore the over-education of the lower social classes, that in the increased intelligence of the latter lies their own truest safety. A great writer of the present day has given a brilliant illustration of this truth. "A peer of our day," he says, "knows that he is better off without defensive appliances and retainers and serfs than his predecessor was with them. His country-house is more secure than an embattled tower; he is safer among his unarmed domestics than a feudal lord was when surrounded by armed guards; he is less in danger going about weaponless than was the mail-clad knight with lance and sword."

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We observe that some English papers are showing an interest in the domestic legislation of this colony. The *Spectator* and the *Guardian* have been considering Sir ALFRED STEPHEN's Divorce Extension Bill. The *Spectator* regards it as a "hopelessly bad measure," and hopes that the QUEEN will disallow it. The *Guardian* thinks that if the bill should not be disallowed, the clergy here ought to refuse to remarry divorced persons, or to allow them the rights of communion. There is no reason to object when English journalists display an interest in the affairs of the colonies. They are as free to express their opinions about our concerns as we are to express our opinions about theirs, or to say that the condemnation of this bill as "hopelessly bad" is to be accepted here as an indication that the writer is but imperfectly acquainted with the facts of the case. The reform embodied in the bill is required here as a means of relief because the law as it stands and the conditions of the community are not altogether suited to each other. As to the advice of the *Guardian* to the clergy, it is divided into two parts, which do not stand on the same foundation. If the clergy think it better not to remarry divorced people, they are at liberty to act on their own convictions, and to discharge their own consciences. The parties concerned will not suffer by the refusal, because their readiness to remarry would imply that they had settled the question of right or wrong in their own minds; and therefore it is to be assumed that when they find they cannot be married in one place they will go to another. The suggestion that divorced people who re-marry should be excommunicated is of a different character. Some nice questions of law might be raised if it were carried into effect. The act of excommunication is either a serious matter or a light one. People who regard it as a light one would probably, if threatened with such treatment, pay little attention to the threat; nor is it certain that all the religious bodies would make common cause in this matter. On the other hand, persons who regarded this treatment as a serious thing, and yet held that they had done nothing to deserve it, would naturally resent it. They might contend, first, that it was a wrong to deprive them of their rights for doing what the law had expressly authorised them to do, and next, that, inasmuch as they had only performed a lawful act, they were entitled to redress at the hands of any clergyman who had practically proclaimed them in public to be "open and notorious evil livers." The writer in the *Guardian* probably meant well, but it is to be doubted whether his advice is for the good of the people of the colony or of the Church of England in the colony. However, we have yet to learn whether the QUEEN will be advised to disallow the measure, and so to initiate another controversy upon the marriage law between the Imperial and colonial Governments. Hitherto such controversies have been ended by the Imperial authorities giving way.

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The deputation which urged the MINISTER for WORKS to construct the locomotives in the private workshops in the colony dealt with a subject of great public importance. In asking that the locomotives should be so constructed in preference to importing them or making them in the Government workshops, the relative advantages of three possible courses are brought under notice. In the public interest that should be followed which will give the best results. We have insisted that material for public works should be procured in England if cheaper than in the colony, unless for the difference in price there are some countervailing advantages in local construction. In that light preference might be given to colonial work. If it be decided that on such grounds the locomotives can be constructed here, then the question to be determined is, shall they be done by workmen employed by the Government or by contract? It is contended by leading engineers that though they cannot make the locomotives so cheaply as they can be made in England they can make them more cheaply than the Government can make them. And there can scarcely be any doubt that their contention is right. It is the general opinion that the area of the operations of the Government should be contracted, and not expanded. Government is already far too large an employer of labour. Whether rightly or wrongly, it is thought that the Government "stroke" cannot be compared with the stroke in private establishments, and if it be conceded by candid engineers that they can only do work at an excess of 10 or 20 per cent. on English cost, it may be safely assumed that the same work would not be done in the Government workshops at less than an advance of from 30 to 50 per cent. It is a radically wrong principle for Government to carry out work that can be better carried out by private firms. Should the Government undertake the construction of the locomotives, it is contended that they will rob the private foundries of their best engineers, and thus place them at a disadvantage in their competition for other work. That is fair reason for complaint on public as well as on private grounds, and it serves to show how improper it is for Government to interfere unnecessarily with the labour market of the country. It may be questioned whether the Government will be justified in having the locomotives constructed in the colony at all; but if they are, there will hardly be a second opinion as to the contention that private firms should do the work.

## *NEWS OF THE DAY.*

OUR cable news this morning announces that the recent incident on the Franco-German frontier has caused much uneasiness, and it is feared at Metz that an outbreak of hostilities between France and Germany is not far off. German Generals are reported to be actively engaged in inspecting the German fortresses on the frontier.

THE mails per P. and O. Company's steamers have been, since April 20 to September 20 (the monsoon period of the year), despatched on alternate Tuesday afternoons; but until further notice they will be closed at the General Post Office on Thursday afternoons. Correspondence for despatch by this line of steamers must be specially addressed, "Per P. and O. Company's steamer, via Brindisi."

HIS Excellency the Governor will on Monday next open the new buildings which have just been completed for the purposes of a City Night Refuge and Soup Kitchen. The necessity for increased accommodation has long been felt by those who have been engaged in the philanthropic work of providing food and shelter for the outcasts in our midst, and the committee of the institution have been often reluctantly compelled through the inadequacy of the accommodation at their disposal to turn away large numbers who have been seeking admission. The new building will, it is anticipated, prove amply sufficient for the demands made upon it. It is capable of affording sleeping accommodation to 250 persons. It contains a dining-room and two dormitories. The dormitories measure each about 75ft. by 35ft., and the dining-room is somewhat larger, about 87ft. by 35ft.—space sufficient to dine about 500 persons if necessary. After the opening ceremony on Monday the annual meeting in connection with the institution will be held, and the Premier, the Primate, and the Mayor are expected to take part in the proceedings. In the evening a concert will be held in aid of the funds of the institution, and many of the leading professional and amateur vocalists will give their services on the occasion.

THE Premier (Sir HENRY PARKES) received several deputations yesterday. He promised to bring the request of the Mayor and city aldermen, to hand over to the corporation the site occupied by the Central Police Offices, under the notice of his colleagues. Favourable consideration was also promised to the request of the Botany dairymen, who complained of the action of the police in destroying their wells of water without giving them sufficient time to obtain any other supply; to the Randwick people, who want extra police protection; and to the Metropolitan Horticultural Society, who consider that they are entitled to an annual subsidy from the Government of pound for pound of their revenue. The council of Adamstown asked for an extension of two months' time to use "unemployed" labour in their municipality on the usual conditions—that is, the Government paying half the day's wages—and the concession was granted.

THE Government has decided to appoint the following gentlemen a board to examine the competitive designs which have been sent in for the State House to be erected in the Centennial Park, and to select such of the designs as in their judgment merit the two prizes offered, and to report generally regarding them:—Sir John Hay, President of the Legislative Council; Mr. J. S. Mitchell, Darling Point; the Hon. E. Knox, M.L.C.; Mr. Alex. Oliver, M.A.; the Right Rev. the Primate; Mr. Barnet, Colonial Architect; and Mr. George A. Mansfield, architect. In order that no suspicion of partiality might be attached to the adjudication of the board, it has been decided that no member of the Government shall have a seat upon it. With regard to the selection of the Primate, it may be stated that he has been chosen as a scholar, a man of cultivated taste, and the son of one of the most eminent architects that the century has produced—Sir Charles Barry, the architect of the Houses of Parliament at Westminster. Mr. Mansfield is one of the gentlemen nominated for a position on the board by the Institute of Architects at a recent meeting.

THE Premier received a telegram from Wentworth yesterday stating that the latest returns for the election showed the following result:—Mr. De Courcy Browne, 593; Mr. Griffin, 571—a majority of 22 for Mr. Browne. The returns from 15 polling-places had then to come in. Mr. Griffin's success the Premier regards as assured.

A NUMBER of deputations waited on the Minister for Works yesterday, and occupied his time during nearly the whole of the day. The majority of the deputations were about trivial matters, the most important being an influential one representing the principal colonial engineering firms, who wished to obtain a definite answer from the Minister with regard to the manufacture of the locomotives for which tenders were called some time ago. Mr. Sutherland informed them that the Government had not yet decided whether they would have these engines manufactured in the colony or not, and stated that the colonial prices were much higher than those from abroad. Another deputation, representing the Deniliquin Railway League, advocated the claims of that district for the continuation of the railway line from Jerilderie to Deniliquin, and representatives of the Bega district also urged on the Minister the necessity for the continuation of the coast line of railway to that place.

THE Minister for Mines made an important statement yesterday, in reply to a deputation from the Newcastle district regarding the provisions of the new Coalfields Regulations Act which will shortly be introduced into the Legislative Assembly. The deputation made some recommendations which they desired to see incorporated in the new bill, but Mr. Abigail stated that he could not embody them in the measure, because they would jeopardise the passing of it. With regard to mining under streets and roads, the Minister said the fullest powers would be given to municipalities to protect the streets and roads in their respective areas. He did not claim for the measure that it was perfect, but it would be found that in the framing of it an endeavour had been made to protect lives and property, and care had been taken at the same time to do nothing tyrannical or unnecessarily harsh against those who had to employ labour. The Government desired to pass a reasonable measure, one under which people could profitably invest their money in the development of mines, and one under which the practical miner might with some degree of safety pursue his arduous work.

HIS Honor the Chief Justice, having disposed of the circuit business at Hay, returned to Sydney on Thursday morning, and will leave on Monday next for Young. His Honor sat yesterday in the Equity jurisdiction, and dealt with several minor matters; but one or two important applications were, by consent, adjourned till Thursday. The Chief Justice also heard an application in divorce. Mr. Justice Innes, who has returned from Wagga Wagga, sat all the morning in Chambers, and disposed of a number of cases set down on the list. He will leave this evening for Albury and Deniliquin.

THE funeral of Mr. Robert Pitcairn, Crown Prosecutor for the South-western District, took place yesterday afternoon at Waverley Cemetery. Amongst those who attended to pay the last tribute of respect to the deceased gentleman were his Honor Judge Forbes, Hon. G. B. Simpson, Q.C., his Honor Mr. Acting-Justice Manning; Messrs. A. C. Fraser, Under-Secretary of Justice; W. W. Stephen, secretary to the Attorney-General (the Attorney-General himself was unable to attend through pressure of official duties); P. J. Healy and W. L. Merewether, Crown Prosecutors; W. R. Beaver, Clerk of the Peace; F. E. Rogers, E. Bennett, W. H. Coffey, G. R. Campbell, F. W. Gibson, H. Manning, barristers-at-law; F. W. Garstang, F. Forbes, W. M. Macfarlane, and T. B. Walcot.

WE regret to have to announce the death of Mr. W. P. Woolcott, sen., house and land agent, which occurred suddenly yesterday afternoon. Mr. Woolcott at the time of his death was on his way from his office, Fitz-Evan-chambers, Castlereagh-street, to join his brother (the late town clerk), when he dropped dead, it is supposed from an attack of apoplexy.

THE North German Lloyd's steamer Lubeck, from Apia and Samoa, with mails, passengers, and cargo, anchored in Watson's Bay shortly before 3 o'clock this morning.

WE learn that a trial survey of the proposed Parramatta-Dural railway or tramway line will be commenced on Tuesday next. Yesterday Mr. Kennedy, one of the surveyors to be employed in the work, visited Parramatta, and, in addition to fixing the site for the main camp, drove as far as Castle Hill in company with Mr. Hugh Taylor, M.L.A., who pointed out the direction in which it has been suggested the line should be carried.

IT appears from a return laid on the table of the Legislative Assembly that the s.s. Oroya arrived on the 19th instant, having on board a small portion of the balance of nominated immigrants, consisting of one single man, one single woman, three married women coming to join their husbands, and 10 young children—10 statute adults. The cost of passage, as per special agreement made by the Agent-General, was at the rate of £15 per statute adult, towards which a total of £16 had been paid by three depositors on account of their nominees. On examination the immigrants expressed themselves well satisfied with their treatment during the voyage, and were forwarded to various destinations to their friends, who had been previously advised of their anticipated arrival.

FROM a return which has been laid on the table of the Legislative Assembly it appears that the number of sick and wounded persons received into the Sydney Hospital during the last five years from the Prospect dam works was 62, and in respect of railway, sewer, and other works during the same period 150. The number of days they remained under treatment was 4907, and the amount of money received from the contractors of these works, whether in the form of daily maintenance charge or annual subscription was £895 15s. With regard to Prince Alfred Hospital, no record of such cases is kept. At Parramatta Hospital the number of sick or wounded persons received from the Prospect dam works during the five years was 203; and in respect of railway, sewer, and other works during the same period, 13. The number of days they remained under treatment was 6541. The amount received from the contractors in the shape of maintenance was £318, and £29 is still due.

A RETURN has been laid on the table of the Legislative Assembly showing how the additional vote of £100,000 for roads has been distributed. The vote, it appears, has been divided as follows:—20 per cent. on the following, subdivided according to the amounts of individual votes:—Main roads under Department Vote for 1887, £47,490; 20 per cent. appropriated from vote of £100,000, £9498. Main roads under municipalities: Vote for 1887, £20,933; 20 per cent. appropriated from vote of £100,000. £4187. Minor roads under Department: Vote for 1887, £310,000; 20 per cent. appropriated from vote of £100,000, £62,000. Minor roads under trustees: Vote for 1887, £80,000; 20 per cent. appropriated from vote of £100,000, £6000. Totals: Vote for 1887, £408,423; 20 per cent. appropriations from vote of £100,000, £81,685. This appropriated £81,685 of the £100,000 vote, leaving a balance of £18,315, which has been distributed in accordance with the list given.

THE new time-tables for the Metropolitan Tramway system come into operation to-day. They have now been before the public for three weeks, and very few expressions of dissatisfaction have been received by the department. The new arrangement, in addition to effecting a saving to the public revenue of from £7000 to £10,000 a year, will, it is confidently anticipated, afford better travelling facilities to the public than the one that has hitherto existed. Under the new system the services of about 30 men will be dispensed with, but employment will be found for them elsewhere—some on the Newcastle and Platteburg line and others upon the railways.

MR. RICHARDS, the City Surveyor, has written to the Government, asking that the Tramway Department should stop the trams on the western side of Harris-street, to facilitate the traffic pending the wood-paving operations in George-street. No decision has yet been arrived at on the matter.

MONDAY next will be a public holiday throughout the county of Cumberland in honour of the eight-hours demonstration. The various trade societies will meet and march in procession to the Agricultural Society's grounds, Moore Park, where the day will be passed in various amusements. In addition to the means provided for spending the day at the Agricultural Society's grounds, arrangements have been made for excursions to several of the most inviting of the holiday resorts about the harbour, and special attractions will be found at places like the Zoological Gardens, Moore Park, and the Aquariums at Manly and Bondi. Particulars of what may be experienced at the various centres where those who avail themselves of the holiday may seek enjoyment will be found in our advertising columns. The following arrangements will be observed in the mail branch of the General Post-office:—The various offices of that branch will be open from 8.30 to 10 a.m. only, and the 8 a.m. delivery only will be effected by letter-carriers. The country mails usually despatched in the afternoon and evening, also the coastwise, intercolonial, and foreign mails, will close at 9 a.m. The iron pillar receivers, and receivers at suburban post-offices, will only be cleared at the first usual hour on that day.

REGARDING shipments of butter to England, we are indebted to the Fresh Food and Ice Company for some interesting particulars of an experimental shipment made recently, of which the returns are now to hand. In the first half of the year the company, being apprehensive that the supply of butter consequent upon the good season would be much in excess of the local demand, determined to send some butter to London to the care of their agents, Messrs. Mort and Co. Last June eight of Pond's enamelled boxes, each of which held half a hundredweight of butter, made at the Pioneer Factory, Kiama, were placed in the cold chamber of the Orient steamship Liguria. The principal object of shipping in June was to have the butter arrive in London in a hot season, so that the keeping quality of the product could be properly tested. The butter arrived in excellent condition, and the company have now, under date August 18, the account sales and the following comments from their agents:—"The butter ex Liguria has turned out very well, and has been fortunate enough to benefit in the rise of 10s. per cwt., which has recently taken place in consequence of the drought. The difference in price between summer and winter usually ranges from 10s. to 20s. per cwt., so that, if you elect to ship the stock you have on hand, you can count upon some 10s. over the prices now obtained, which were—2 packages, 108s.; 2, 106s.; 4, 100s. per cwt. respectively. You will observe by the account sales herein that the net landing weights show 18lb. loss. In explanation, it is asserted the wood absorbs the brine, and accounts for the deficiency of a little over 2lb. per case. Mark the packages of future shipments with letters or numbers, and do not indicate the source of supply. Circular packages, although ordinarily used, are not the best for stowage. We think you can do no better than with the excellent square boxes such as this sample came in. The first two cases, sold at 108s., contained excellent butter, as sweet and sound as possible. The cheapest line was in equally good condition, but the flavour was turnippy, indicating a different feed. Our experts are very emphatic that the butter if landed in same condition in the winter will have a splendid result. The butter is good, sound, and well made." This information should be encouraging to the dairymen, as it is evident that the butter market, which of late has been much depressed, can be considerably relieved by shipments. In London on the 15th of August the highest quotations for imported butter were—Normandy, 126s. to 132s.; Dutch, 116s. to 120s. The Fresh Food and Ice Company intend to ship regularly, and will send about two tons from this port on the 11th instant.

THE sittings of the Metropolitan Quarter Sessions will commence at Darlinghurst on Monday morning, before Mr. District Court Judge Murray. Seventy-six cases have been set down for hearing, and 270 witnesses have been notified to be in attendance. The Court will be opened, as a matter of form, at 10 o'clock, but no cases will be heard in consequence of Monday having been declared a public holiday. The pleas of the prisoners who are now in gaol will be taken, but no jurors will be required until Tuesday morning; and we have been requested to state that no witnesses need attend until their cases are notified for trial each day in the newspapers. Elsewhere will be found a list of the cases.

THE Articled Clerks' Association held their sixth general meeting at the Supreme Court, on Thursday evening. Mr. W. E. Clapin having been voted to the chair, it was announced that the smoke concert held on the 22nd ultimo had proved a financial success, inasmuch as by it £15 had been added to the library fund; and a further announcement that Mr. Nash had given £4 4s., Mr. Alex. Gordon, jun., £2 2s., and Messrs. H. E. Cohen and Digby £1 1s. to the same fund, was received with applause. Mr. J. F. Thomas opened a discussion with regard to the Acts referring to bills of sale. Messrs. Hale, Martyn, Howarth, and M'Kellar also took part in the discussion, which having been concluded, it was unanimously decided that the said Acts should be amended. The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chairman.

YESTERDAY evening a public meeting of the ratepayers of North Willoughby was held at the School of Arts, Mowbray-road, for the purpose of considering the action which had recently been taken by two gentlemen to obtain a special audit of the accounts of the borough. The chair was occupied by Mr. F. Treatt, and the Mayor of the borough, several aldermen, and about 50 ratepayers were present. A good deal of talking took place, but beyond this no definite results were attained by the meeting, a resolution recommending the council to vote the sum of £50 for the examination of the council's books by a public accountant, and an amendment in favour of a special audit, being both lost when put to the meeting.

ON Thursday evening last, an adjourned meeting of the various friendly societies interested in the proposed church parade, in aid of local charities, was held in the Friendly Societies' Hall. Mr. T. M. Shepherd was voted to the chair. Letters were received from Archdeacon Gunther and the Rev. J. D. Murray consenting to hold services in their respective churches on the date fixed for the parade. A number of preliminaries were arranged, and the meeting then adjourned for a fortnight.

A MEETING of the Birchgrove Literary and Debating Society was held in St. John's Schoolhouse, Balmain North, on Wednesday evening. Mr. W. C. Ward (president) occupied the chair. Several new members were elected, and others nominated. The evening was devoted to a mock municipal election, six candidates addressing the meeting.

THE Woollahra Literary and Debating Society held its weekly meeting on Wednesday evening last, in the Oddfellows' Hall, Queen-street; Mr. M. Shaw in the chair. The business of the day was reading from the manuscript journal the following papers:—Editorial, by the editor; "Men of the Time as seen through the Camera of our Society," by Geebung; "The Prevalence of Fraud and Dishonesty," by Sextus; "Brevities," by a Vagabond; "Every Man has his Price," by Demos. The papers were each criticised at length, and at the usual closing time it was announced by the editor that all the papers he had received had not been read. These were deferred till next journal night, and the meeting terminated, the members having spent a very pleasant and instructive evening.

A MEETING of licensed drivers was held at the Temperance Hall last evening, for the purpose of taking into consideration the reply of the Minister for Justice to a deputation which waited upon him recently, relative to certain decisions given at the Water Police Court by Mr. G. W. F. Addison, S.M., which are alleged to have operated unfairly against the cabmen. Mr. C. Prince presided over the gathering. Amongst other things, it was resolved to present a petition to the Legislative Assembly, asking for the appointment of a select committee to inquire into the conduct of Mr. Addison, relative to certain remarks alleged to have been made by him in his capacity as magistrate when adjudicating in the police courts re licensed drivers. A report appears elsewhere.

THE Jubilee Lodge of the U. A. O. Druids, held its fortnightly meeting on Wednesday evening last, at the School of Arts, Burwood, the attendance being numerous, and the Arch Druid presided. After the usual routine of business had been dealt with, five candidates for admission presented themselves, and were duly initiated into the mystic rites, and four were nominated for membership. The officers of the Royal Oak Lodge, Balmain, on an official visit, were received with Druidic honours. During the evening the lodge adjourned for harmony, when the visitors entertained in an able manner all present. Votes of thanks were given to the visiting officers for their attendance and participation of the evening's enjoyment, Bros. Fordham and Morgan (on behalf of the Royal Oak), and Bro. Atkins (for the Rose of Rockdale) in happy terms replying. The Jubilee resolved to pay an official visit on 20th instant to the Royal Oak Lodge. The lodge closed in due form at 10.30 p.m.

THE letter of our London correspondent which appears in another column deals with the Bulgarian question, and the latest move at the St. Petersburg Court either to compel Prince Ferdinand to withdraw or lead to his ejectment by Turkey. The discussion in the House of Commons on the subject of the New Hebrides is likewise spoken of. Amongst the other topics are the alleged offer by the Government of New South Wales of 300,000 acres of land for the civilisation of the aborigines of the colony; also the proclamation of the Land League, and the English wheat harvest.

OUR Paris letter will be found in another column. The principal subjects with which the writer deals are the New Hebrides question and the increasingly cordial relations between France and Russia.

OUR St. Petersburg letter, which will be found in another column, deals with the repressive measures of the Government in regard to the Universities. It also touches upon the questions arising out of the complications in Bulgaria, and the state of affairs in Afghanistan. Amongst the other questions alluded to are the extension of the Russian railways in Central Asia, and the anti-German law.

IN his letter of August 26 our London correspondent says:—"The Very Rev. Alphonsus O'Neil, accompanied by four members of the Order of Passionists, will embark for Sydney next month, on the invitation of Cardinal Moran, for the purpose of opening up a House of the Passionists in your city."

OUR London correspondent, writing on August 26, says:—"The cricketing team which Mr. G. F. Vernon is taking out to Australia, under the auspices of the Melbourne Club, will consist of the following gentlemen and professionals:—Gentlemen: the Hon. W. P. Hawke (captain), Messrs. W. W. Read, G. F. Vernon, T. P. O'Brien, A. E. Newton, M. P. Bowden, and A. C. Stoddart. Players: Messrs. Abel, Attewell, Peel, Bates, Rawlins, Beaumont."

MUCH sympathy (says our London correspondent in his letter of August 26) is felt in society for Lord Augustus Loftus in the bankruptcy proceedings which are now pending against him, the more particularly as the noble lord is the first British ambassador who has figured in the bankruptcy court. Nothing is known of the circumstances of the case beyond the fact that his lordship was, last Saturday, adjudicated a bankrupt on the petition of Mr. Samuel Cogel, a West End money-

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Stalker, whose debt is set down at £788. Some observations which appeared in the *Pall Mall Gazette* of Tuesday indicate that the noble lord crippled himself by the style which he was compelled to keep up during his embassy at St. Petersburg, particularly while the festivities attendant upon the marriage of the Duke of Edinburgh were proceeding. The salary he enjoyed at St. Petersburg was £10,000 a-year; but his expenses seem to have exceeded that sum.

LAST Saturday afternoon, at St. Matthew's, Bankstown, a purse of sovereigns was presented to Mr. R. Rook, late catechist of the district, by the Rev. E. A. Colvin, on behalf of the parishioners. Mr. Colvin spoke of the earnestness and energy with which Mr. Rook had carried on his work amongst the people and expressed the great pleasure it gave him to present a testimonial to one who had been a true friend and a valued helper to him in the parish. Mr. Rook, in a few well-chosen words, thanked his friends for their thoughtful consideration of him, and assured them that their kindness would be an incentive to him in the work to which he had devoted himself.

ON Thursday night last a special service was held to commemorate the dedication of Christ Church, Guildford. The little church had been exquisitely decorated with flowers and evergreens by members of the choir and others, headed by Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Boyd, and was well filled with worshippers, many of whom had travelled long distances to be present. The service was full choral (Tallis in C), and was admirably conducted by the Rev. Lynton Taylor, of Stanmore, who also preached the sermon, owing to the indisposition of the Rev. D. E. Evans Jones, vicar of the parish. The choir had been strengthened by the presence of kind friends from neighbouring choirs, and acquitted themselves well, receiving valuable aid from the organist, Mr. F. G. Bennett, of Strathfield. The collection was in aid of the choir fund.

THE final portion of the celebration of the second anniversary of the Free Church of England, Kogarah, in the form of a tea, public meeting, and sacred concert, took place at the Oddfellows' Hall, Kogarah, on Thursday evening last. There was a good attendance. Mr. J. S. Hawthorne, M.L.A., presided, and referred to the establishment of the church and the great success that had attended it since its formation. Messrs. Hollingworth and Caton also gave short addresses appropriate to the occasion. The concert was assisted by Mrs. Downing, Mrs. Melville, Misses Hollingworth, Messrs. C. M'Kern, Stonier, and others, who ably contributed to the evening's enjoyment, and at the conclusion of the programme were awarded a hearty vote of thanks for their kindness, on the motion of Mr. Jackson. A similar compliment to the chairman terminated the proceedings, and after the singing of the National Anthem and cheering for the Queen, the assemblage dispersed.

A CORRESPONDENT, who subscribes himself "Truth," writes agreeing with "every word in the letter signed 'Leather Jacket' regarding our fish supply," which was published in Thursday's *Herald*. He says:—"For some years past a number of Italians have almost taken possession of our fish market, and these men have banded themselves together to buy the fish at any cost, rather than let the European fish-sellers have any. Being nearly all single men, they are enabled to give a higher price than the man who has a wife and large family to support."

A CORRESPONDENT in South Africa writes to a gentleman in Sydney as follows:—"I believe you knew Baron Lüderitz. About a month before I returned here he made a voyage of discovery down the Orange River in a canvas boat, and on reaching the river's mouth was foolish enough to put to sea in his frail craft, with the hope (I believe) of reaching Angra Pequena. He was never heard of again, and there is no doubt that he perished; also, two men who were with him. I learn that his estate in Germany has been administered, there being no doubt whatever of his death."

YESTERDAY morning the dead body of one of the unfortunate men drowned at Botany on Saturday last was found floating in the water not very far away from the scene of the sad fatality. The discovery was made by two fishermen, named respectively Samuel Bagnall and James Smith, who's on their way from Botany to Lady Robinson's Beach. The men at once communicated with the police of the district, and the body was shortly afterwards taken to the South Sydney morgue. The body, which was but slightly emaciated, was clad in the uniform of an artilleryman, and has been identified as that of Frank Barbour. An inquest in connection with the matter will be held to-day.

AN act of bravery was witnessed yesterday morning in the vicinity of the Pyrmont baths, when W. J. Rivers, a seaman, while on board the tug Scylla, saw a lad struggling in the water a short distance away. Rivers immediately jumped overboard, and cleverly rescued the unfortunate boy. He then rubbed the little fellow dry and otherwise ministered to his wants.

AN extremely painful accident happened yesterday week to Mr. Cotter, master butcher, of Phillip-street, of this city. Whilst riding on horseback in Pitt-street, his horse slipped on the wooden blocks, and threw him under the wheels of a waggon laden with cement, the consequence being that he had one of his legs completely crushed above the ankle. He is now under the care of Drs. Tarraut and Jackson, who are unable to state at present whether they will have to resort to amputation or not. Mr. Cotter, who has been in business in the locality mentioned for over 20 years, has the sympathy of many kind inquiring friends.

WE have to acknowledge the receipt of a cheque for £1 1s. from Mr. M. Metcalfe for Mr. Charles Collett of No. 13, Hanover-street, Waterloo. Mr. Charles Collett attempted to save the life of the girl Kain, who was burnt to death on Tuesday last, and as a result of the excitement is suffering from a paralytic stroke, which, as he is a poor man, has placed his family in the most straitened circumstances.

THE Primate will preach a special sermon on behalf of St. John's parochial day schools to-morrow morning at St. John's, Darlinghurst. It is probable that the Primate will allude to the education question in his discourse.

THE following is the order of service in St. Andrew's Cathedral on Sunday next:—Morning, 11: Te Deum, Smart, in F; anthem, "Send out Thy light" (Gounod). Afternoon, 3.15, special choral service: Magnificat, Stainer, in D; Nunc Dimittis, Stainer, in D; anthem, "I will give thanks" (Barnby). "Thou Lord our refuge" (Mendelssohn). The choir will be assisted by members of most of the city churches. The Most Rev. the Primate will preach on "The music of the Bible." Offertory in aid of the choir fund.

TO-MORROW, the anniversary of the Princes-street Wesleyan Sunday School will be celebrated. The Rev. Jos. Woodhouse, Rev. John MacNeil, and Rev. W. G. R. Stephinson (President of the Conference), will preach. The scholars, under the leadership of Mr. H. D. Gilbert, will sing special hymns at each service.

LAST night a sale of work was held in Union-street North schoolroom, in aid of the Young Men's Literary and Social Club. The sale, which is very successful, is to be continued this evening.

THE band of the Industrial Blind Institution will perform in the Zoological Gardens on Monday afternoon, from 2 till 5 o'clock. The following is the programme:—March, "Bugle Call;" fantasia, Welsh airs; valse, "Boomerang;" polka, "Cornstalk;" fantasia, English airs; march, "Jubilee;" valse, "Little Nell," galop, "Ascot;" "God Save the Queen."

IN the report of the proceedings in Parliament on Wednesday last, Mr. Hawken, when moving his resolution re municipal associations, was made to say that there was in existence at the present time a Municipal Association comprising some 18 municipal councils. The number was inaccurately stated; it should have been 80.

THE following is the report of the Benevolent Asylum for the week ending September 28, 1887:—Admitted, 4 women, 5 children; birth, 1; death, 0; discharged, 3 women, 5 children; remaining in the house, 88 women, 116 children; total, 204. Provisions distributed: 1943 loaves bread; 1217lb. flour, 612lb. meat, 546lb. sugar, 137lb. tea, 60½lb. sago, 156lb. rice, 85lb. oatmeal. Fresh applications for relief, 6; cases reported by the inspector, 66; in 15 cases the relief was discontinued, in 1 case the rent money was disallowed; total number of cases relieved, 679.

## OPENING OF THE HUNGARIAN PARLIAMENT.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

BUDA-PESTH, SEPT. 29.

The Hungarian Parliament was opened to-day. The Speech from the Throne states that the relations of Austria and Hungary with the other Powers remain friendly, but the general situation in Europe requires that the military power of the Empire should be strengthened, and every effort will be made to maintain peace, which, it is believed, will be assured for the future.

# LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

[BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.]

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

### THE OCEAN MAIL SERVICE.

LONDON, SEPT. 29.

The Treasury has cabled a reply to the joint telegram from the various colonies intimating that the latter decline to reopen the original agreement with regard to the ocean mail service. The English authorities seem disposed to haggle over the matter.

### VICTORIAN WINES AT THE MELBOURNE EXHIBITION.

LONDON, SEPT. 29.

Mr. P. B. Burgoyne has offered a prize of fifty guineas for the best samples of Victorian wines, to be exhibited at the Melbourne Centennial Exhibition, on the same terms as those for his prize at the Adelaide Exhibition.

### SUDDEN DEATH OF MR. JOHN CARTER.

LONDON, SEPT. 29.

Mr. John Carter, Registrar of Titles in Victoria, who was on a visit to England, died suddenly yesterday.

### THE INTERNATIONAL FISHERIES COMMISSION.

LONDON, SEPT. 30.

The Hon. T. F. Bayard, the American Secretary of State, Mr. William Puttnam, and Mr. James Angell have been appointed members of the International Fisheries Commission.

### THE CROWN PRINCE OF GERMANY.

LONDON, SEPT. 30.

The Crown Prince of Germany has improved in health. The hoarseness which resulted from the affection in his throat has now left him.

### MUNIFICENT BEQUEST TO THE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, LONDON.

LONDON, SEPT. 30.

Dr. Richard Quain, the eminent physician, has bequeathed a sum of £75,000 to the University College, London.

### COURTNEY v. BUBEAR.

LONDON, SEPT. 29.

A sculling race was rowed to-day between George Bubear and Courtney. Bubear was defeated.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

### UNDER-SECRETARY FOR IRELAND.

LONDON, SEPT. 30.

Sir West Ridgway, late Chief British Commissioner for the delimitation of the Afghan frontier, has been appointed to succeed Sir Redvers Buller as Under-Secretary for Ireland.

### THE MELBOURNE CENTENNIAL EXHIBITION.

LONDON, SEPT. 29.

Sir Graham Berry is now engaged on a tour through England, with the view of securing support for the Melbourne Centennial Exhibition.

### NEW ZEALAND FROZEN MEAT.

LONDON, SEPT. 29.

The Shaw, Savill, and Albion Company's steamer Doric, from Lyttelton August 20, arrived at Plymouth yesterday evening. Her cargo of 30,000 carcases is in good condition.

### THE MAILS.

LONDON, SEPT. 29.

The P. and O. Company's R.M.S. Massilia arrived at Plymouth on the morning of the 29th instant.

BATAVIA, SEPT. 30.

The British India Company's steamer Waroonga left to-day, outwards.

## THE INTERNATIONAL YACHT RACE.

[BY CABLE.]

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, SEPT. 29.

The suggestion that the British yacht Thistle had been tampered with, by which her speed was seriously impeded, has proved to be groundless.

SEPT. 30.

The betting in the second race for the American Cup is 5 to 1 on the American yacht Volunteer.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, SEPT. 29.

The second day's racing between the yachts Thistle and Volunteer did not take place, owing to a dense fog prevailing in the harbour and outside.

SEPT. 30.

The second of the series of contests between the yachts Thistle and Volunteer, which was to have taken place yesterday, had to be postponed until to-day, owing to the entire absence of wind.

## MR. CHAMBERLAIN AT BIRMINGHAM.

[BY CABLE.]

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, SEPT. 30.

Mr. Joseph Chamberlain delivered an address at Birmingham last night, in the course of which he declared that England was bound to support a fair and reasonable presentment of the Canadian claims in connection with the fisheries question. Although the federation of the Empire was not yet within the scope of practical politics, anything that would draw closer the ties of mutual friendship, and guarantee the peace and civilisation of the world, should be strongly fostered.

In referring to the Irish question, Mr. Chamberlain expressed the opinion that since no agreement had been arrived at regarding Home Rule for Ireland, Parliament ought to deal with the questions of religious equality, local government, and economy in the public service, on the lines of Lord Randolph Churchill's Irish land proposals, without pledging British credit.

## ATTEMPT TO WRECK A SPECIAL TRAIN.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

A dastardly attempt has been made to wreck the special train in which the Governor and party were conveyed to Charlton on the occasion of the recent Agricultural Show. The matter has been kept secret in the meantime, in the hope that the police would be able to bring the offender or offenders to justice. According to the report which has come to hand, a platelayer discovered a pile of stones on the railway line between Keneg and Charlton, but the obstructions were removed in time to prevent the intended outrage. The police have not yet succeeded in shesting home the crime to the perpetrators.

## FRANCE AND GERMANY.

### FEELING OF UNEASINESS ON THE FRONTIER.

### WAR REPORTED TO BE IMMINENT.

[BY CABLE.]

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, SEPT. 30.

The recent incident on the Franco-German frontier has given rise to extreme irritation on the frontier.

There is a feeling at Metz that war is inevitable, and that it is near at hand.

It is reported that the German Generals are actively engaged in inspecting the fortresses on the frontier.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

### THE FRONTIER DISPUTE.

METZ, SEPT. 29.

The trial of M. Schnabele, junior, charged with having affixed a placard of a seditious character to one of the German frontier posts, was concluded to-day. The accused was condemned to three weeks' imprisonment, including the time during which he has already been detained.

## THE NEW LORD MAYOR OF LONDON.

[BY CABLE.]

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, SEPT. 30.

Mr. Polydore de Keyser, alderman for the Ward of Farringdon Without, has been elected Lord Mayor of London.

## INTERCOLONIAL NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

### VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

The Brunswick tramway line, which crosses the other lines at the busiest intersections in the city, was tested to-day with most satisfactory results. The line will probably be opened for public traffic to-morrow.

The inquiry by the Steam Navigation Board into the circumstances connected with the abandonment of the ship Glaslyn has been postponed for an indefinite period, owing to the boatswain and other witnesses not having returned to Melbourne.

A man named Elliott, a farmer at Beechworth, while riding home from Tumberumba to attend his wife's funeral, was thrown by his horse, and died this morning from the injuries he received.

### QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, FRIDAY.

The Customs collections at Brisbane for the past quarter amounted to £166,731, being an increase of £26,212 as compared with the corresponding quarter of last year. The collections for September show an increase of £6763.

It is stated that seven of the jurors who recently acquitted Stephen Wilson of perjury, and who sat on one or other of the juries which convicted Finch, Melvin, and Jackson, on a precisely similar charge, intend petitioning the Executive for the remission of the sentence on the three convicted prisoners, on the ground that the true facts of the case were not presented to them in the earlier trials.

At a public meeting held at Rockhampton to-night, it was decided to support a match between Trickett and Hanlan, to be rowed on the Fitzroy River, for £500 a-side. Promises amounting to £192 were made in the room. Trickett said in the course of the proceedings that he was in much better health than ever in his life, and he would fight hard to win.

Mount Morgan shares sold to-day at £7 and £7 5s.

A telegram from Port Douglas says that a prospecting party reports the discovery of payable tin within 25 miles of the Port. The tin is of the finest quality, extending over an area of five miles.

The weather has now cleared.

### SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, FRIDAY.

A fatal accident occurred at Teetulpa on Thursday evening. A miner named William Reece, while cooking his evening meal, had a fit, and fell into the fire. He was literally roasted, his legs being completely burnt to the bone.

Bulch's model band, from Ballarat, arrived by express this morning, to engage in the brass band contest at the Exhibition to-morrow.

Advantage was taken of the presence here of Messrs. Howard Smith and Son's steamer Leura to invite a large company to an excursion in the Gulf. A great number of guests made the excursion to-day to Kangaroo Island. The passengers, amongst whom were many influential citizens, admired the boat. Luncheon was provided on board, and several toasts were subsequently honoured, great credit being given to Messrs. Howard Smith and Sons for the character and management of their fleet. The party reached town by midnight.

### TASMANIA.

HOBART, FRIDAY.

The bill to indemnify the Chief Secretary for certain acts connected with the smallpox outbreak, and persons acting under his orders, has been assented to by the Governor.

## POLITICAL CRISIS IN NEW ZEALAND.

### RESIGNATION OF SIR ROBERT STOUT.

[BY CABLE.]

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

AUCKLAND, FRIDAY.

The Premier, Sir Robert Stout, tendered his resignation to the Governor to-day. Major Atkinson was sent for by the Governor, and had an interview with his Excellency this afternoon. He consented to undertake the formation of a new Ministry, but asked for time to enable him to select his colleagues.

## SMALLPOX IN LAUNCESTON.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

The Central Board of Health decided to-day that all passengers arriving from Tasmania shall be subjected to 15 days' quarantine. The Union Company's steamship Mararoa, from New Zealand, via Hobart, and the Tasmanian Steam Navigation Company's steamship Flinders, from Launceston, were lying at the Heads awaiting the decision of the board. The Mararoa had 100 passengers, 15 of whom were from Hobart. The Flinders brought 70 passengers from Launceston. The whole of these now have either to submit to a detention of 15 days at the quarantine station or return from whence they came.

The mails for Europe brought by the Mararoa and Flinders are to be despatched by the Orizaba to-morrow. They will be taken ashore and thoroughly fumigated, and sent on to Melbourne.

HOBART, FRIDAY.

There is nothing new in regard to the smallpox at Launceston. All the patients are reported to be going on well, and no new cases are notified. One man tried to escape from quarantine at Launceston, but he was stopped. The steamer Devon has been placed in quarantine. The crew were vaccinated. The Union Company's steamers have been ordered not to call here at present. The general opinion here is that the action of Victoria and the other colonies is harsh and unnecessary, as all the suspected persons and known cases are isolated.

AUCKLAND, FRIDAY.

The Union Company's steamers will discontinue calling at Hobart, in consequence of the outbreak of smallpox.

## THE NEW HEBRIDES.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

A public meeting was held in the Melbourne Town Hall to-night, to consider the present condition of affairs at the New Hebrides. Between 1200 and 1500 persons were present, and the chair was occupied by the Mayor. The first resolution, moved by Mr. James Balfour, M.L.C., and seconded by the Rev. G. Buchanan, affirmed that the British and Australian interests in the New Hebrides which had arisen from the discovery of the group, and the survey of the harbours of the coast, and also from 80 years' successful missionary enterprise, involving large sacrifice of life and expenditure of money, and from mercantile intercourse with the natives, deserve the most effective protection from the Empire. It was resolved that as regular steam communication between Australia and the New Hebrides would afford one of the best means of expressing sympathy with the British people residing there, and of supporting the interest of Great Britain on the islands, the Victorian Government be requested to take steps to secure the conveyance of a monthly mail between Melbourne and Havannah Harbour. The Mayor and the movers and seconders of the resolution were appointed a deputation to wait upon the Premier and lay the resolution before him. The meeting then closed.

Sir Graham Berry has forwarded to the Premier a copy of the latest remonstrance he has addressed to the Secretary of State for the Colonies in reference to the French occupation of the New Hebrides. It is as follows:—

"Sir,—I have the honour to enclose a copy of a telegraphic despatch which I have received from my Government, and which I am to request you to communicate to the Prime Minister. I gather from its terms that Mr. Gillies believes the State of the New Hebrides to have again become somewhat critical, and that it demands the vigilant attention of Her Majesty's Government. I am also persuaded that the unsatisfactory statements lately made in the House of Commons on this subject have exercised a certain influence on the debates in the Parliament of Victoria respecting the proposals of the Colonial Conference, and that my Government felt that the time has come when a decided stand should be made against the pretexts of the French for their continued occupation of those islands. I would therefore submit that before Parliament rises for the autumnal recess, it is desirable that her Majesty's Government should give notice to the French Republic that a date be fixed for the evacuation of the posts at present occupied by their troops in the New Hebrides; and in the event of their refusal, that an alternative joint military occupation, which was suggested by my Government, be adopted.

"I have, &c., "GRAHAM BERRY."

## THE SITUATION AT SAMOA.

[BY CABLE.]

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

AUCKLAND, FRIDAY.

Later news from Samoa states that there is little alteration in the state of affairs. Malietoa is still at large. Large numbers of the opposition chiefs have sworn allegiance to Tamasese.

Much disappointment is felt at the neutrality of England.

## AUSTRALIAN PARLIAMENTS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

### QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, FRIDAY.

In the Legislative Assembly to-day, a long discussion took place on a motion by Mr. E. Palmer,—"That in the opinion of the House it is desirable that a line of railway from Normanton to Croydon be constructed immediately." The necessity for the construction of the line was strongly urged by the mover, and supported by other members. The Government favoured the construction of the line, and on the suggestion of the Premier the motion was amended, providing that a sufficient part of the money authorised for the Normanton-Croydon line be appropriated for that purpose. Mr. Dickson moved the previous question, but this was negatived by 30 to 4, and Mr. Palmer's amended resolution was carried. The Premier promised to introduce the necessary measure to give effect to the resolution. The House then went into Committee of Supply to consider the estimates. Some items were passed, and the House adjourned at 20 minutes past 10 o'clock.

### TASMANIA.

HOBART, FRIDAY.

In the Assembly to-day, the Ministry notified that they would make a statement of the financial position on Tuesday next.

## VICTORIAN REVENUE RETURNS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE FRIDAY.

The revenue returns for the first quarter of the current financial year show a fairly satisfactory result, though a fourth of the estimated revenue for the 12 months has not been reached. The quarter just ended is generally the dullest of the year, consequently the apparent falling-off has no significance. For the three months just closed the Treasurer has received £1,692,217, as against £1,536,565 for the corresponding period of last year. The Customs Department shows an increase, as compared with that period, of £82,000, including £7000 more from duties on live stock, which have risen from £7275 to £14,567, or more than 100 per cent. Spirit duties gave £6000 in excess. The new duties on sugar brought up the receipts from £26,148 to £37,315. Tobacco and snuff returned £10,000 more, but there is a falling off of £23,000 under the heading of "Articles subject to ad valorem duties." Excise and inland revenue swelled from £94,217 to £129,390, due principally to an increase of £33,000 in the duties on the estates of deceased persons. The land revenue has improved slightly, the total being £128,103, as against £124,723. In the Public Works division there is an advance of £50,000, of which the railways are credited with £43,513. The returns from this department for the three months having been £584,716, as against £541,203 for the corresponding period of last year. The Post Office is only a formal item, because the amount derived from the sale of stamps is taken from that heading, and placed under fees. In fees the increase has been from £163,693 to £176,538, and of £13,000 thus to the good, stamps contributed £10,680, "miscellaneous" returned £55,736, as against £33,810, the increase being due almost entirely to the interest on the public account paid during the quarter having been £19,651, as against £18 18s. 5d., which was only received during the same quarter of last year.

## REVENUE RETURNS OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

ADELAIDE, FRIDAY.

The approximate returns of revenue for the quarter ended to-day show that the receipts were £469,974, of which £178,548 was from taxation, and £241,004 from public works and services. £60,768 was the territorial revenue, and £14,657 was obtained from other sources. As compared with the corresponding quarter of last year there is an increase of upwards of £81,000. The Customs show an increase of £48,000, public works and services £45,000, and other receipts £2000. There is a decrease in the territorial revenue of about £4000.

## THE SILVERTON TRAMWAY.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

ADELAIDE, FRIDAY.

Mr. Jenkin Collier, director of the Silverton Tramway, arrived this morning from Melbourne, and leaves for Silverton immediately. It is anticipated that the tramway will be ready for traffic within two months. The Government will manage the traffic, and will subsequently consider the desirability of taking the line over from the company. The directors have applied to the Government of New South Wales for leave to extend the line through the Peolamacca tinfields to Wilcannia; but up till Thursday no reply had been received.

## THE AWARDS AT THE ADELAIDE EXHIBITION.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

ADELAIDE, FRIDAY.

The following awards have been made for exhibits in the New South Wales courts at the Exhibition:—

T. F. Bevan, New Guinea trophy, first order of merit; the Executive Commissioner for New South Wales, grotto and fernery, 1; Jane Frost, Annandale, scrap knitting, 2; Margaret M'Leod, Clarence River, counterpane, 3; W. Cochrane, cabbage tree hats, 1; Rose Levy, flowers made of hair, 2; J. E. M. Russell, Bullion Bank, 3; Eliza Campbell, Eschank, fancy work, 2; Thompson Bros., furs, 2; T. J. Loder, furs, 2. Professor Liversidge was awarded first order of merit for an ethnological collection; and, on appeal, T. Jones and Co., of Sydney, were awarded first for venetian and wire blinds.

Mr. J. C. Neild had an interview with the executive committee at the Exhibition to-day, and discussed at length with the superintendent of juries the question of the judging of certain official exhibits. The committee decided that the following exhibits should be granted:—First awards: New South Wales Government, triple arch with statue, wine trophy, and decorations in the main court and eastern annexe; Executive Commissioner for New South Wales, bush scene, with fauna, and circular panorama of Sydney. Mr. Neild afterwards expressed satisfaction with the decision.

## THE WRECK OF THE BARQUE WISTARIA.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

BRISBANE, FRIDAY.

The marine board has given its decision on the wreck of the Wistaria. The board are of opinion that there was not the slightest excuse for the loss of the vessel, neither can they account for the confused state of the master's brain otherwise than from advanced age. They regret that so long a career should be terminated by such an unfortunate accident, but consider that Captain Hummell is now unfitted to take charge of a sea-going vessel, and cancel his certificate. The mate, John Rogers, who holds a master's certificate, was worse than useless, and the board have grave doubts as to his competency as a navigator. They consider his qualification should be tested, and called upon him to present himself at once for examination. In the meantime they postpone their decision in his case.

## COUNTRY NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

ARMIDALE, FRIDAY.

Alexander Finlayson, a selector on Aberfoil, had his house and its contents, including valuable papers and documents, destroyed by fire. Everything was uninsured.

The weather is fine and dry.

CAMPBELLTOWN, FRIDAY.

The weather is dry, and rain is needed. Rabbits are increasing. Forty-eight scalps were tendered to-day to the scalp receiver.

A bazaar in aid of St. Peter's Parsonage Fund was opened to-day by the Venerable Archdeacon of Camden. There was a good attendance. The Archdeacon gave an admirable address on church work.

DUBBO, FRIDAY.

Six conditional purchases and five conditional leases were taken up here yesterday. The total area being 9774 acres, and the amount received £340.

The weather is very warm and bright.

CASINO, FRIDAY.

The Political League here has adopted a number of suggested amendments in the land laws, and has forwarded them to the Minister for Lands.

Another death has occurred from diphtheria, the victim being Mr. P. Balzser, jun. This is the fourth case within a short period.

The weather is beautifully fine.

GERMANTON, FRIDAY.

There was great competition for allotments sold at the Courthouse by the land agent from Albury. The ground was sold at prices up to £80 an acre. The ten lots were distributed among eight purchasers. The total of the realised £190.

GRAFTON, FRIDAY.

The borough council has passed a motion introduced by the Mayor, to make application to have the Government ferry handed over to the council. The Government returns show that the ferry does not pay. A report of the necessary works to be constructed out of the proceeds of the loan, which was laid on the table at last meeting, was ordered to stand over till next meeting. The estimated cost amounts to £10,000.

A public meeting has been called for Wednesday to decide whether a grand regatta shall be held at the end of the year.

A meeting of pastoral leaseholders will be held on October 13, to consider the action of the Minister for Lands in raising the rentals of Crown lands above the amounts fixed by the local land boards.

GULGONG, FRIDAY.

The weather is fine and warm, with cool nights.

KIAMA, FRIDAY.

All the light rolling-stock, consisting of ballast trucks and tip-waggons, have been removed by Messrs. Monie from the railway metals to a place near the south end of section 4; but the ballast engine is still on the line. This week the men have been removing the siding near the stone-crushing batteries used in shunting ballast trucks. Another day will probably suffice for this work, and Messrs. Monie's contract will then be complete. As one result of the Minister for Works' late visit to Kiama, the Roads Department have undertaken the renovation of the road between the town and the terminus at Porter's Garden Beach.

A wild flower show was opened at Jamberoo yesterday, and was a great success.

The weather continues cool for this time of the year, but it is exceedingly enjoyable.

NEWCASTLE, FRIDAY.

The works on the new wharf, adjacent to the A. A. Co.'s wharf, are being rapidly pushed forward. Pile-driving is being actively proceeded with, and the wharf will be a great boon when completed.

The benefit concert to Mr. A. H. Gee, the well-known vocalist, at the Victoria Theatre, last night, was a great success.

3000 persons attended the Roman Catholic school picnic to Lake Macquarie yesterday.

TAMWORTH, FRIDAY.

At the Circuit Court to-day, Frederick Cardan pleaded guilty to a charge of horse-stealing. Francis Chardon, alias George Mortimer, charged with horse-stealing, was convicted. Both were remanded for sentence. George Layton, charged with sheep-stealing, was acquitted.

Mr. W. J. Boydell, for nine years manager of the Bank of Australasia here, has been promoted to Newcastle. He will be succeeded by Mr. Stanton, from Narrabri.

WAGGA WAGGA, FRIDAY.

It is stated this evening that, in consequence of indisposition, Cardinal Moran will not attend the opening of the new St. Michael's Church, on Sunday.

WARIALDA, FRIDAY.

A meeting of ladies, convened by the Police Magistrate, at the request of Lady Carrington, with reference to the Queen's Fund, was held at the Courthouse on Tuesday. There was a good attendance, and several letters were read from ladies, who were unable to be present, promising support. A committee was appointed, and collecting cards were distributed.

The weather is very dry, with warm days and frosty nights. Rain is wanted.

The Pastures and Stock Board have decided to reduce the scale of bonuses on scalps to 4d. all round for marsupials, and 5s. for native dogs. Over £2000 has been paid away during the last three months.

Indignation is expressed by the pastoral lessees in the district at the action of the Minister for Works in raising their rents from the award of the land board. In almost every holding an increase has been made, and it is considered that if the awards of the board, who in most instances are personally acquainted with the character and capabilities of the holdings, are not adhered to, they might just as well not exist. Some of the lessees have an enormous rent.

180 acres of land were taken up yesterday on the Cooloottai run.

WAUGH'S Baking Powder obtained the only first-class award for highest degree of merit. Waugh's Baking Powder is the best.—[ADVT.].

## SHIPPING REPORTS, &c.

CUSTOM HOUSE.—Entered Outwards, September 30: Jane, three-masted schooner, 256 tons, Captain R. Evans, for Fremantle, via Newcastle; Anne Theresa, schooner, 84 tons, Captain L. Petersen, for Normanton; Dr. Mezger, barque, 639 tons, Captain Engelstad, for Rotterdam; Corinna (s.), 830 tons, Captain H. C. White, for Hobart; Ranelagh (s.), 333 tons, Captain W. Sinclair, for Rockhampton, via ports; Quirsing (s.), 653 tons, Captain Robert Armstrong, for Melbourne; Barra bool (s.), 586 tons, Captain L. Tisdal, for Brisbane; Rodondo (s.), 719 tons, Captain C. J. Nightingall, for Melbourne; Konowarra (s.), 497 tons, Captain James Tozer, for Melbourne, via Newcastle; Taupo (s.), 406 tons, Captain F. Fielding, for Lord Howe and Norfolk Islands.

The P. and O. Company's R.M.S. Rome took her departure for London, via Melbourne and Adelaide, yesterday, at noon precisely. As the weather was bright and fine, there was an unusually large attendance of spectators to witness the casting off of the mail boat. For the season of the year the Rome had a well-filled list of passengers, and by the time she leaves Albany but little of her passenger accommodation will be left vacant. Among those who are going home by her is Lady Broome, wife of his Excellency the Governor of Western Australia. The vessel took a large and valuable cargo, the principal lines of which were wool, tin, copper, and other produce. Large additions will be made to the cargo at Melbourne and Adelaide. The first time that the Rome has been under the command of Captain Barrett, she yesterday presented an appearance which was quite in keeping with the scrupulous cleanliness and order which she has always exhibited when under the command of the commodore of the fleet, Captain G. F. Cates. The most favourable expressions were heard on all sides in regard to her internal appearance, and when she was moving out into the stream, for heading down the bay, about her exterior. As the tide was very low at midday, the Rome had no sooner got away from the Quay than she took the ground. All efforts on the part of the tug Commodore to move her having failed, the services of the steamer Glenelg were also called into requisition. Soon after the latter vessel took hold of the Rome the mailboat floated off, and proceeded on her way. Immediately after she commenced to steam ahead an accident occurred to the Commodore. It appears that the Commodore's line was not let go as soon as the Rome got under way, and the result was that she slewed round and striking the mail boat with her stern received considerable injury thereto. The woodwork was damaged, and a couple of the plates so much injured that they will have to be renewed. The Rome cleared the Heads at 1.50 p.m.

The steamship Burmah, of Messrs. W. Howard Smith and Sons' line, made a quick passage to Brisbane this week. She left Struth's wharf at 5 o'clock on Tuesday evening, and arrived at the Municipal wharfs, Brisbane, before breakfast on Thursday morning.

On September 9, when the ship Illawarra was in lat. 40° S. and long. 88° E., Captain Carvosso passed some wreckage, apparently masts and yards, and the next morning a cask and other debris were seen.

The steamer Rosedale crossed the Manning bar at 8.30 p.m., September 29, arrived in port at 10 a.m., September 30. Experienced light variable winds and fine weather throughout. Cargo—618 bags maize, 4 bundles sheepskins, 87 hides, 190 pigs, 11 coops poultry, 134 cases eggs, 3 casks tallow, 1 bag bones, and 40 packages sundries.

The P. and O. Company's R.M.S. Clyde was berthed at the Circular Quay yesterday.

Yesterday the ship Skaimorlie was berthed at Dalton's Wharf.

To-day the barque Apollo is to be towed from the stream to Pyrmont Bight, where she will put out her cargo of boards &c.

The ship Sir Walter Raleigh having been cleaned and painted in Mort's Dock, will be floated out to-day, and come up to a berth at the Central Wharf.

To-day the barque Dr. Mezger will be towed from the Railway Wharf to an anchorage in the stream.

It may not be generally known that on the last voyage home of the R.M.S. Garonne, her Majesty Eugenie, ex-Empress of the French, was a passenger from Malta. She charmed everybody on board by her amiability, and her courtly, yet pleasing, manners; and a number of New South Welshmen who were passengers have a very vivid and kindly recollection of the Empress. Before leaving the ship her Majesty conveyed to Captain White, and also to Mr. Fox, the purser now on the Lusitania), and the surgeon her appreciation of the kind attention she had received on board.

Yesterday morning Mr. John Williams, owner of the vessel, received a telegram stating that the three-masted schooner Florida had been totally wrecked on Browse Island, on the 12th instant, and that the crew were saved. The Florida was only purchased about two months ago by Mr. Williams, and went from here to Normanton with a general cargo, under the command of Captain Robert Coe. At that port she was taken up to proceed to Adelaide to load a cargo of flour for Cooktown and Townsville, and she began her voyage from Normanton on the 27th August. Browse Island, the place where the accident occurred, is a notorious place for disasters to shipping, no fewer than half a dozen vessels having been lost there within as many years. The Florida was a strong-looking vessel of 216 tons register, and was built at Perth in 1875. She was insured in the South British Insurance office for £700. Captain Coe and the crew will come on to Sydney as soon as possible.

The P. J. S. Company's steamer Brighton, having been cleaned and painted, is to resume duty in the Manly passenger trade to-day.

The T. S. N Company's steamer Corinna, having been fumigated, was yesterday towed from Spring Cove to a berth at the company's jetty, Grafton Wharf, where she will discharge her cargo. The following is a list of her passengers:—Miss M'Clure (in the saloon), Mr. and Mrs. Ikin and family (7, and five Chinese (in the steerage.) A summary of her cargo appears under the heading of "Imports."

Monday having been proclaimed a public holiday the Merchants' Exchange will be closed.

The Gibb liner Pathan, for Melbourne, did not clear the Heads until half-past 8 o'clock yesterday morning.

The Orient Company's R.M.S. Lusitania was yesterday moved from Neutral Bay to the company's wharf, Circular Quay.

The three-masted schooner May, from Bluff Harbour, with a freight of oats, entered the Heads at half-past 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and anchored in the upper part of Neutral Bay. She is a Sunderland-built craft, about 16 years old, and is owned in Wellington by Messrs. Turnbull and Co. Sailing on the 16th ultimo, the May experienced easterly winds until the following day, and light S.W. and westerly winds from that date until the 20th. Unsteady N. to N.W. winds followed until the 28th, when a S.W. gale was encountered, and the vessel had to be hove-to for a few hours. On the 27th the weather moderated, and light variable winds were had afterwards till arrival.

The North German Lloyd's steamer Habsburg, from Bremen, via ports, left Melbourne at 1 p.m. yesterday, and should therefore arrive here to-morrow morning.

The China Navigation Company's steamship Soochow cleared at the Customs yesterday for Hongkong

## AMUSEMENTS.

### THE THEATRES.

"Henry V." was finally produced at Her Majesty's Theatre last evening, and in the presence of a good house. This evening Mr. George Rignold will appear in comedy as well as drama. The comedy drama "Alone" will form the first part of the performance, which will conclude with the musical piece "Black-eyed Susan." Mr. Rignold has appeared before in these plays in Sydney, and with undoubted success. It will be sufficient under the circumstances to remind theatre-goers of the presentation of these plays this evening.

The Gaiety Theatre will be reopened this evening, and under the management of Mr. Dampier, who has had many important alterations made and improvements effected for the comfort of his numerous patrons. The opening production is the play "Shamus O'Brien," which, it is announced, will be represented for the first time in Australia this evening. Mr. Dampier will play the part of "Shamus," and Miss Dampier will represent "Mary Kavanagh." In other respects the cast is a good one, including the principal members of Mr. Dampier's company.

The Royal Standard Theatre will be re-opened this evening by the Standard Minstrel and Burlesque Company, in a variety programme of considerable merit. The performers include Messrs. Hosea Easton, Charley Holly, Percy Shannon, Frank Phillips, Vincent Magee, and many other celebrities.

At the other theatres no change is announced. The Royal Theatre is being largely patronised, the "Silver King" apparently being as popular as ever. At the Criterion Theatre "The Twelfth Night," with the admirable young actress Miss Essie Jenyns as Viola, is being produced with splendid effect. There have been excellent houses every evening during the week. At the Alhambra Music Hall there are invariably startling novelties on Saturday evenings, and, as usual, a good programme will be given this evening.

On Friday evening next Mr. G. S. Titheradge will conclude a four years' engagement with Messrs. Williamson, Garner, and Musgrove, and the occasion will be marked by a farewell complimentary benefit to him, when he will perform for the last time this season as the Silver King.

### CONCERT AT PETERSHAM.

An instrumental and vocal concert was given last night in the Congregational School-hall, Petersham, in aid of the funds of the Golden Chain Lodge, I.O.G.T. The hall was comfortably filled, but by no means crowded, which was doubtless due to the fact of there being another, and apparently more attractive entertainment at the Town Hall. The concert opened with an overture "La Couronne d'Or," by the members of the Sydney English Concertina Band, numbering thirteen instruments. Their performance was a great musical treat, and at its close they were rewarded with the most hearty applause. "The Death of Nelson," by Mr. Monk, followed, after which Mrs. Jackson sang the ballad "Bid me good-bye and go" very prettily. A pianoforte solo by Mrs. Cleary, from "Maritana," was played with clear execution, and a very clever and at times dainty touch, and the violin solo by Mr. E. Stevenson which succeeded it ("The Slumber Song"—Schubert) was one of the best morceaux of the evening. The song "Golden Love," by Mr. Downe, was sung in good time and tune, and with much feeling. Mr. F. J. Palmer played the "Blue Bells of Scotland," with variations, on the English concertina with great skill, proving himself to be a most capable musician, so far, at least, as that instrument was concerned. The items "Alice, where art thou?" and a number from "Rigoletto" (sung in Italian), by Mr. W. Walshe, displayed that gentleman's fine voice to the utmost advantage, and elicited the most unbounded applause. The same may be said with regard to the song "Shipwrecked," by Mr. A. Edward. This elicited a peremptory encore, which took the shape of another nautical ballad, entitled "Little Jem the Powder Monkey." Mr. Edward was in splendid voice, and his contributions may be looked upon as the gems of the evening. A pianoforte solo by Mrs. Cleary and Miss M. Rowley, a comic song by Mr. C. H. Prust, and a pianoforte and concertina trio from "Norma," brought a very attractive first part to a close. The second part was as pleasant and as diversified as the first, among the principal performers being the members of the concertina band, Messrs. Monk, Downe, Walshe, Stevenson, Evans, and Edward, and Mrs. Jackson and the Misses Evans, the National Anthem bringing the entertainment to a close. Mrs. Cleary acted as accompanist during the evening, and the concert was throughout a decided success.

Prominent amongst the other various amusements which are always well patronised on Saturdays are the Columbia Elite Skating Rink, at the Exhibition Building, and the Society Skating Rink, at Double Bay.

The intercolonial Cavalry Tournament (under the auspices of the Sydney Lancers) will take place to-day, at the Agricultural Grounds, Moore Park. The programme of events is a splendid one.

At the School of Arts a lantern entertainment for children will be given by Mr. Cyril Haviland, at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

There was a pleasant gathering at the Petersham Town Hall last evening, the occasion being the concluding "hop" of the season arranged by the Petersham Owls. The assemblance was very large, and included many visitors from the city. After a variety of musical selections had been given, dancing was commenced, and was continued till the small hours of the morning.

The Loyal Crown Lodge, in the Order of the Independent Order of Oddfellows, Manchester Unity, celebrated its seventh anniversary last evening by holding a social and smoke concert in St. Michael's schoolroom, Fitzroy-street. Brothers from other lodges and districts were present, and consequently the hall was well filled. Brother John Bell, D.G.M. of the district, was chairman, and had around him several gentlemen who have for many years been identified with the Order of Oddfellows. The evening was spent in a most enjoyable way, several of the Brothers assisting with songs or solos on the violin or piccolo, to the delight of the members present. Several encores were most enthusiastically demanded, but the length of the programme would not permit. Between the songs, the toasts of the "Manchester Unity and Board of Directors," "The Sydney District," and "The Loyal Crown Lodge" and others, were given and met with hearty response. One of the features of the evening was the presentation of a large picture frame containing the photographs of the past and present officers of the lodge to the lodge by Bro. C. French. Bro. Wynes made the presentation. Mr. C. French, after a hearing could be obtained, suitably responded. The Loyal Crown Lodge is in a very flourishing condition, having a credit balance of nearly £400. It was getting late when the party broke up.

The committee of ladies entrusted with the management of the ball to be held in aid of the Women's Refuge at Tempe, met yesterday at the Good Samaritan Institute, when satisfactory progress was reported. Several details were discussed and arranged, and the meeting was adjourned until Wednesday next at 3 o'clock. A full list of the ladies who compose the committee will be found in our advertising columns. It must be noted that tickets for the ball are only procurable from the committee and from the treasurers and secretaries.

## BALL AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE.

His Excellency the Governor and Lady Carrington gave their second ball this season at Government House last evening, when about 500 guests were present. The arrangements were the same as on the previous occasion as regards the accommodation, the red drawing-room being added to the ballroom for dancing, and the floor of the former having received special attention was equally favoured with the latter by the dancers. The guests arrived with almost regal punctuality, thus enabling Lord and Lady Carrington to complete the reception before the second waltz was finished. The floral decorations were especially beautiful, in one portion were the arum lily and a brilliant scarlet verbena—the blossoms arranged in large clusters, rivalling in size and surpassing in brilliancy the crown of a prize cineraria. In another portion hundreds of roses, "Souvenir de Malmaison," were grouped amid delicate greenery, and scattered their fragrance around. The arched dais, which was occupied by the band, was decked with pink azaleas; and in every possible niche beautiful flowers, choice bric-a-brac, or gems of art gladdened the eye and delighted the senses. The intercolonial and country visitors were nearly all present, and a gathering of town and suburban residents, which included representatives of the leading sections of the community, with Sir Henry Parkes, the Mayor and Mayoress of Sydney, &c. In the opening quadrille his Excellency the Governor danced with Lady Darley, Lady Carrington and the Hon. Thomas Garrett (Minister for Lands) being vis-a-vis. Later, in the Lancers, his Excellency danced with Miss Parkes, having Lady Carrington and Mr. G. H. Reid as vis-a-vis. The costumes of the ladies were unusually handsome. The distinguished hostess wore a tulle skirt and satin bodice of pale yellow, with a net work thickly ornamented with pearl sequins, covering a large portion of the front of the dress and forming the berthe, with tiara and suite of diamonds. Mr. and Mrs. Warner, Major-General Campbell and Miss Campbell, Mr. Robinson, A.D.C. to Sir Robert Hamilton (Governor of Tasmania), Miss Stawell, Miss Armitage, Dr. Ford, Mr. Pearson from Melbourne, Captain Lowe, Mr. Denne from India, Captain Abbott, and Mr. and Mrs. Hamilker Heaton were also present. Lord Shaftesbury left for New Zealand on Thursday morning. The beauty of the toilettes served to heighten the charms of the fair wearers, and it was generally remarked that such an assembly of pretty girls and lovely women has rarely been seen. The warm evening and the beautiful moonlight tempted many to the garden, whence Farm Cove looked to great advantage. Captain Hammill, and several officers of H.M.S. Nelson, Commander Field and Commander Pullen, with officers of the Lark and Dart, were present, the naval uniform adding much to the brilliant scene. Supper was served at 11, and in the culinary, as in all other arrangements, every possible attention had been given to ensure success. The programme was danced through, and, after a most enjoyable evening, the guests separated about 1 a.m. The galeries which have marked the social world of the last fortnight terminated in full lustre at Government House.

## PASTORAL INTELLIGENCE.

[By Telegraph.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

### WAGGA WAGGA, Friday.

Jenkins and Ray report a sale of 1200 store bullocks from Queensland; and, in conjunction with Finlay and Co., of Goulburn, 5000 wethers, near Young.

## GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

The following official notifications were published in yesterday's *Government Gazette*:—

Nuisances Prevention Act.—The "Nuisances Prevention Act, 1875," is to come into operation in the Borough of Petersham on the 1st day of December next.

Appointments.—Mr. Alexander Lobban to be a district inspector of schools under this Department, vice Mr. D. S. Hicks, deceased,—such appointment to take effect from the 1st September, 1887; Mr. William M'Pherson Macfarlane to be acting chief clerk and accountant in the office of the clerk of the peace, vice Mr. F. W. Garstang, appointed emergency clerk of petty sessions in the Department of Justice, to take effect from October 1; Mr. John Sidney Shaw, to be accountant and record clerk in the Crown Solicitor's Office, to take effect from September 15; Mr. George Atkin to be fourth clerk in the office of the clerk of the peace, vice Mr. M. Macfarlane, transferred to the Department of Justice, to take effect from the 24th August last; Mr. Edward Reeve, P.M., to be the licensing magistrate and official member of the licensing court for the licensing district of Port Macquarie, vice Ruthven; Mr. Edward Jones, P.M., to be the licensing magistrate and official member of the licensing court for the licensing district of Wollombi, vice Robertson; Mr. Edward Jones, J.P., now acting as clerk of petty sessions at Narrandera, to be police magistrate and clerk of petty sessions at Wollombi, vice Dillon, resigned, to take effect from October 1; Mr. Edward Reeve, P.M., to be commissioner of insolvent estates for the district of Port Macquarie, vice Maunsell; Sergeant William J. Tippett to be acting clerk of petty sessions at Balina, vice Evans, transferred, to take effect from September 15; Mr. Thomas A. Browne, police magistrate at Albury, to be a warden of the Tumut and Adelong Mining District, such appointment to take effect from September 15; Mr. Arthur W. Pratt to be warden's clerk and mining registrar at Wilcannia, and to issue miners' rights, business and mineral licenses at that place, to take effect from September 10, and Mr. J. L. D'Arcy Irvine, licensed surveyor, to be a mining surveyor; Mr. Charles G. Gibson to be mining registrar at Broken Hill, and to issue miners' rights, business and mineral licenses, to take effect from September 12; Mr. John T. Hobbs to be mining registrar at Milton, and to issue miners' rights, business and mineral licenses, to take effect from September 1; Senior-constable Stone to be warden's clerk and mining registrar at Copeland, and to issue miners' rights, business and mineral licenses, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. E. M'Shane, to take effect from October 1; Mr. William Purnell to be a trustee of the Bingera Common, to hold office for the unexpired period of three years from January, 1886, vice Linden, resigned; Mr. E. W. Proctor to be inspector of sheep and deputy registrar of brands for the sheep district of Ivanhoe, vice Yeo, to take effect from September 21; Mr. Andrew Morton, telegraph master at Michelago, to be post and telegraph master at Copmanhurst, vice Shambler; Mr. Thomas Joseph Stanislas Dignan, telegraph operator at Redfern, to be telegraph operator at Miller's Point; Mr. Frederick Alexander Bondfield to be postal assistant and telegraph operator at Maclean; Miss Edith Manning Doust to be telegraph operator at Paterson; Mr. John Baker, post and telegraph master at Wickham, to be postal assistant at West Maitland.

New Post Offices.—Post offices will be established on October 1 at Mount Mitchell, near Glencoe, and Red Rock, near Drake.

Government Savings Banks.—Government Savings Banks have been opened at Springwood, Sutton Forest, and Kogarah.

Magisterial Powers.—Mr. Edward Jones, police magistrate at Wollombi, to exercise at Wollombi, within the police district of Wollombi, at Cessnock, within the police district of Maitland, and at St. Albans, within the police district of Windsor, the special powers authorised to be given to police magistrates, for a period of two years from the 1st October; Jasper Albert Creagh, police magistrate at Taroo, to exercise similar powers at Taroo, Wingham, Cundletown, and Tinonee, within the police district of Manning River, for a period of two years from September 24th.

Trustees.—The Borough Council of St. Leonards to be trustees of the land at Little Sirius Cove known as "Curraghbeena Park," containing 3a. 2r. 7p., which was proclaimed a public park in *Gazette* of the 2nd September, 1887; Messrs. William Robertson and Robert Tully to be trustees of the land at Wentworth, area 160 acres, dedicated on the 31st August, 1880, for public recreation, in the places of Messrs. W. Gunn and W. Crozier. Mr. William Stewart Quail to be trustee of the land at Temora, area 15 acres, dedicated on the 10th September, 1886, for show-ground for the use of the Temora Pastoral and Agricultural Association, in place of Mr. Michael Byrom, resigned; Messrs. Frederick Charles Piggin, John Robert Hudson, William Henry Lang, Henry Hay, and Antony George Morley to be trustees of the land at Corowa, area 157a., dedicated on the 13th May, 1887, for racecourse; Messrs. Edward Abraham Head, John Geddes, and George Frederick Want to be temporary trustees of reserve from sale No. 116, in the parish of Holsworthy, county of Cumberland, area 11a. 2r., notified on the 8th December, 1884, for water supply and other public purposes; Messrs. John Williams, Henry Hardyman, William Mathews, Henry James Dennett, William Williams, James Young, and William Muddock to be trustees of the portion of the general cemetery at Waratah, parish of Newcastle, set apart for Baptist burial-ground; the Most Rev. Patrick Francis Moran, D.D., the Very Rev. Patrick Slattery, the Very Rev. John Joseph Carroll, Messrs. Laurence Harnett, J.P., James M'Manus, Mathew O'Neill, and John Russell to be trustees of the portion of the general cemetery at Seymour, set apart for Roman Catholic burial-ground. The undermentioned gentlemen to be trustees of the portions of the general cemetery at Bulgar Creek, county of Murray, particularised hereunder:—Church of England burial-ground: The Right Rev. Mesac Thomas, D.D., Bishop of Goulburn, and his successors. Roman Catholic burial-ground: Messrs. Cornelius Grady, John M'Clapham, John Morrison, Edward Guiser, John Flint, Michael M'Mahon, and Edward Morrison. The lands at Burragorang, each containing one acre, dedicated for Church of England church and burial-ground respectively, to be vested in the Church of England Property Trust, Diocese of Sydney.

Tenders Accepted.—The supply of Messrs. Warburton and Son has been accepted for the supply of about 70 tons of coal for the Quarantine station, North Head. The tender of Messrs. Ferris, Wilson, and Co. has been accepted for the supply of provisions, &c., on account of the Public service, to the Benevolent Asylum, Newington, from the 1st October, 1887, to the 31st March, 1888. The tender of Messrs. F. T. Wimler and Co. has been accepted for the supply of Hickok's ruling pens and furniture on account of the Public service. The tender of Mr. Albert Smith has been accepted for the erection of iron telegraph poles and two wires between Queanbeyan and Cooma.

## THE CAVALRY TOURNAMENT.

As a preliminary to the Cavalry Tournament to take place to-day, a review of the mounted corps of New South Wales was held in Moore Park yesterday, and the occasion was made one of inspection by his Excellency the Governor. The hour fixed for the review was 3.30 p.m., but long before that, great crowd of spectators had taken possession of the park, and forming a cordon round the troops, watched their movements with interest. The bulk of the troops came, of course, from the country, and the following districts were represented:—West Camden, Illawarra, West Maitland, Gratton, Upper Clarence, and Ulmarra, the muster including a contribution of 20 of the Sydney Lancers, who were glorious in the bravery of decorative accoutrements, and escorted the Governor to the ground, arriving there at about 4 o'clock. The Lancers as a body were splendidly mounted and accoutred, but this fact did not take away from the efficiency of some of the country corps, who acquitted themselves most commendably considering the short training. Before his Excellency arrived, Drill-instructor R. R. Thompson put the rural contingent through its facings, and very neatly these were accomplished.

Lord Carrington, who was in the undress uniform of a Colonel of Lancers, arrived on the ground accompanied by Major-General Richardson, Major Mackenzie, Major Gascoigne, and Lord Hertie. The troops then went through a number of manœuvres, including the march past, the galloping past in columns, and, finally, skirmishing. Afterwards they were drawn up, and Lord Carrington addressed the men. He congratulated the cavalry on the turnout he had seen. Last year there were about 70 men on parade, as against 200 this year. He pointed out that too much credit could not be given to the gentlemen who gave their services to the country, and it was evident, from the remarks of the Premier at the military dinner in Sydney, that the Ministry intended to recognise and assist this movement. It was hardly possible to overestimate the value of a strong body of well-mounted and well-equipped horsemen in times of danger or invasion. If a landing were threatened or effected, they would be able to delay the advance of an enemy till the field guns and infantry could get up. He reminded them that a certain amount of ridicule was certain to be cast by thoughtless and ignorant people on a movement the object of which they could not understand; but he felt certain that the cavalry fully recognised the patriotic motives which brought them together, and he hoped before he left the colony to see the force properly established, and at least 2000 strong, and ready and able to turn out at a minute's notice for the honour and safety of the colony. The troops were dismissed soon after 5 o'clock. The following was the field state:—Officers, 2; men, 20; Illawarra Light Horse, 2 officers, 10 men; West Camden Light Horse, 2 officers, 10 men; West Maitland, 2 officers, 34 men; Grafton, 2 officers, 16 men; Ulmarra, 2 officers, 16 men; Upper Clarence, 2 officers, 34 men.

Health.—The summer will soon be upon us, therefore each citizen should see that the premises he resides in are in a thoroughly sanitary condition. To effect this it is necessary to use Hesse's Disinfectants, which can be had wholesale at 43, Elizabeth-street, and Messrs. Hooke, Tomsitt, and Co.'s; also retail from all grocers, chemists, and storekeepers. The price, in large tins, is 1s each; in bottles, from 6d each, and should be within the reach of all. Health is a great boon, and should be preserved at any cost. Therefore, see you get only Hesse's Disinfectants, which will be found to be the best article known. Referring to the above, which appeared in the Melbourne Daily Telegraph of 24th September, 1887, it is proposed to establish branch factories here for the manufacture of disinfectants, also for producing poudrette or guano from refuse of any description examined; from abattoirs, excrements, &c. Municipal bodies, syndicates, can obtain most advantageous terms by applying at 43, Elizabeth-street, Melbourne.—[Advt.]

## SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

### THE TURF.

What promises to be a most successful meeting commences to-day at Canterbury Park, and will be continued and concluded on Monday. The racing track is in splendid condition, and the recent fine weather has helped to make the surroundings bright and pleasant. In addition to the usual suburban traffic, special trains will leave Redfern at 12.20 and 12.45 p.m. for Ashfield, whence cabs, 'buses, and other vehicles will convey visitors to the convincing ground. Racing will commence at 1.30 p.m. sharp, when the competitors engaged in the Flying Handicap will be sent on their mission by Mr. Kean. A large field may be anticipated, and those who seem to be the best in are Glen Elgin, Stamford, and Oakwood. The Park Stakes should also attract numerous contestants, and, though First Flaneur has been placed at the head of affairs, with the more than complimentary impost of 8st. 7lb., the son of Fair Duchess should have no chance with such leniently-treated performers as Winnie Agnes and Lady Yattendon. The October Handicap should bring about a great race, and those who should have most to say at the finish are Figtree, Phaon, and Frolic, while Kitawa's chance must not be overlooked. Toronto, Tilburn, and Fano should furnish a winner in the Disposal Stakes. The Stewards' Mile wears a very open appearance. Melanion and Victory share the honour of top weight with 12st. each, and with such loads to carry, their prospects do not appear very bright; but Leumeah, Hester, and Bertram may divide the honours. The programme, from which the scratched horses have been removed, appears elsewhere in this issue.

The weights for the handicaps to be decided at the annual meeting of the Patrick's Plains Jockey Club on Thursday and Friday next are promised to-day.

The latest scratchings include the Emily colt, Red Rose filly, Rosedale filly, Bonnie Queen, Redfern, Melos, Guelder Rose colt, The Dustman, and Gazette, out of the V. R. C. Maribyrnong Plate; Granny out of the October Handicap; Bound out of the Hurdle Race; and Sandy out of all engagements connected with the October meeting of the Canterbury Park Race Club.

Sportsmen should remember that the adjourned race meeting of the Yerong Race Club will be held on Wednesday next. Latest advices from that district state that the course is in grand condition, and that the committee have been making all the necessary arrangements to bring about a pleasant and successful gathering. A special train will leave Wagga Wagga for the trysting-place on Wednesday morning for the conveyance of passengers and racehorses, and visitors from the southern side can reach the course by the train which leaves Albury at 8.40 a.m.

Nominations for the V. R. C. Maribyrnong Plate should bear in mind that the first forfeit of 5 sovs. falls due on Monday next at 4 p.m., and that neglect to comply with the conditions of the stake will incur the liability of half-forfeit. At the same time, the V. R. C. Foal Stakes will require attention, when the first forfeit of 1 sov. must be declared and paid.

Owners who have horses engaged in the V. A. T. C. Great Foal Stakes and Caulfield Guineas are reminded that all scratchings must be made by 4 p.m. on Tuesday next, as horses that remain in after that hour will be considered acceptors and held liable for the sum of 3 sovs., which goes to the race fund.

The Melbourne Hunt Club hold their re-union at Flemington to-day, when half-a-dozen events will claim the attention of the southern sportsmen. Business will commence with the Hurdle Race, for which the prospects of Eaglet, Jack, and Landseer may be regarded as the most promising. Irishman heads the list in the Handicap Steeplechase with 11st. 12lb., but his chances do not look so bright as those of Bob Cooper and Tandstickor, who should finish a winner. Should Dunlop start in the Handicap Flat Race, he should have no difficulty in coming home in front, but in his absence the best in appear to be Menotti, Dufferin, and Childe Harold. Teddy Yuille should show prominently in the Corinthian Flat Race, and his stable mate Rocket, may appropriate the Selling event, while Ruby, Moonlight, and Hazelkirk should fill the places in the Hunt Club Cup.

The Fernmount correspondent of the *Clarence and Richmond Examiner* says: "In your sporting columns of the 17th the item having reference to the race mare Fidelity was read here with a little more than ordinary interest, as the matter had previously cropped up in a rather singular manner. A commercial traveller on a journey from Fernmount to Grafton reported that he had seen Fidelity running in the bush, and that he was quite satisfied as to the identity of the mare, as he had known her well when on the turf. Your correspondent, with some friends, having discovered the locality where the mare was reported seen, proceeded to the spot, when a bay mare well known here, and bred by Mr. John Cowan, of South Grafton, was the only one to be found. This same mare had recently been in training, and having a racing appearance, it was then thought our commercial friend was mistaken."

The Sydney Turf Club have announced the conditions for the Anniversary Handicap of 2000 sovs., to be run for at Randwick on January 26. The second horse receives 350 sovs. from the prize, while the third gets 150 sovs.; and it may be anticipated that such valuable stakes will attract a large number of entries, including the best performers in the Australian colonies. Particulars can be seen in this week's *Sydney Mail*.

The second race meeting to be held under the auspices of the Sydney Hunt Club has been fixed for the 22nd instant, when a six-event programme will be played out on the Canterbury Racecourse. The bill of fare is a most attractive one, embracing, as it does, hurdle-racing, flat-racing, and steeplechasing; and the prize list has been drafted on a liberal scale. Added money, amounting to £305, will be distributed over five events, and a valuable trophy, presented by the club, will form the prize for the remaining item, a welter handicap for bona-fide hunters.

The programme issued by the Victorian Trotting Club, for their meeting at Elsternwick Park on the 12th instant, will demand the attention of sportsmen on Monday. The programme is a comprehensive one, including trotting, hurdle-racing, steeplechasing, and flat-racing.

The conditions for the Carrington Stakes of 1000 sovs. and Tattersall's Club Cup, the leading items on the programme for their Summer meeting, to be held on December 31 and January 1, have been published, and the date of nomination for both events fixed for the 13th instant.

The most important gathering of which particulars are to hand by latest English files is that of the York August meeting held on the 23rd, 24th, and 25th. The Thirty-first North of England Biennial Stakes for three-year-olds, colts 8st. 10lb., fillies 8st. 5lb., 1½ mile, was won by Lord Zetland's bay colt Panzerschiff, by Wenlock from Speigeleschiff, who went to the post with a shade of odds on, and won easily by four lengths. He followed up his success on the third day by appropriating the Great Yorkshire Stakes for three-year-olds, colts 8st. 10lb., fillies 8st. 5lb., 1¼ mile, by three-quarters of a length from a field of five, the places having been filled by Lord Allesbury's chestnut colt Gallinule, by Isonomy from Moorhen, and Mr. Houldsworth's chestnut colt Cactus, by Springfield, from Celandine, and the distance was covered in 3min. 15sec. Panzerschiff was bred by Lord Zetland, his owner, and had a remarkably successful time of it as a two-year-old. He received forfeit in a match arranged with Footstep over the Rous Course at the Newmarket Second Spring Meeting, and subsequently won the Eglinton Stakes at York Spring, the Twenty-ninth Ascot Biennial Stakes, and the Stockbridge Foal Stakes. He also walked over for a Private (Post) Sweepstakes at the Bibury Club meeting. At Goodwood the son of Wenlock easily accounted for the valuable Richmond Stakes, making all the running and winning by three lengths, his nearest attendant being Freshwater. He next added the Redcar Two-year-old Stakes to his winning account. At Stockton, Lord Zetland's colt picked up the Hardwicke Stakes from an indifferent opposition, and at York was reserved for a Private Triennial Sweepstakes, in which Gloriation failed to stop his victorious career. Panzerschiff missed a couple of valuable engagements at Derby September with a view to the Champagne Stakes at Doncaster, for which he ran a dead heat with *Grandison*, Phil and Porcelain following the pair home. The stakes were then divided. Lord Zetland's colt sustained his first reverse in the Cheveley Stakes at the Newmarket Houghton meeting, failing in an attempt to give 18lb. to the well-tried Peep o' Day, who won by three-quarters of a length. This season Panzerschiff commenced by running second to the Lizard for the Twenty-ninth Ascot Biennial, the verdict being three lengths in favour of General Owen Williams's colt. The following day in the Twenty-fifth New Biennial he finished behind Kilwarlin, Hark, and Dardanelles, and was badly beaten in the Bognor Plate at Goodwood by Pierrepont, Priesthood, and Versacity. He had an easy task at Stockton in the Thirtieth Zetland Biennial, only Mosque and Camaraksaman throwing down the gauntlet, and at York on Tuesday, in the Thirty-first North of England Biennial he beat Lasso in a canter.

As the time approaches betting is becoming more spirited on the leading events of the V. A. T. C. and V. R. C. Spring Meetings. Yesterday a move was made on Silvermine for the Caulfield Cup, and about £5000 was taken at 10 to 1; while a few thousands were written about Volcano at 8 to 1. For the V. R. C. Derby, 200 to 100 was taken about Abercorn, the same price being still offered. Algerian was firm at 5 to 1, offered, for the Melbourne Cup; while Silver Prince was a shade firmer, 100 to 8 being the best offer. The Canterbury events were not touched, investors preferring to wait for the post betting.

### MELBOURNE HUNT CLUB RACES.

The following is the programme to take place to-day (Saturday), for the Melbourne Hunt Club Meeting:—

HANDICAP HURDLE RACE.

| | st lb | | st lb | | st lb |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ellerslie | 12 2 | Jack | 10 0 | Glendust | 9 9 |
| Goodwood | 12 0 | Landseer | 10 0 | Sultan | 9 7 |
| Whalebone | 10 10 | Dunstan | 10 0 | Impulse | 9 6 |
| Eaglet | 10 7 | Trooper | 10 0 | Aristocrat | 9 6 |
| Ballarat | 10 7 | Beadsman | 10 0 | Cacique | 9 0 |
| Moolgai | 10 6 | Levoy | 9 11 | Denbeigh | 9 0 |
| Star | 10 4 | Roy | 9 10 | Lord Harry | 9 0 |
| Glen | 10 2 | Cromwell | 9 10 | Oculist | 9 0 |
| Quilp | 10 2 | Yannathan | 9 10 | | |

HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Irishman | 12 12 | Roulette | 10 10 | Kulkyne | 10 4 |
| Sweetheart | 11 5 | Hard Times | 10 7 | Womlingham | 9 7 |
| Bob Cooper | 11 0 | Marquis of | | The Laird | 9 7 |
| Tandstickor | 10 13 | Waterford | 10 0 | | |

HANDICAP FLAT RACE.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dunlop | 9 0 | Don Giovan | 7 5 | Romanoff | 6 9 |
| I O U | 9 9 | King of the West | 7 6 | Rhetorician | 6 9 |
| Pocahontas | 8 9 | Richworth | 7 6 | Mentor | 6 9 |
| Gardenia | 7 13 | Salve | 7 5 | Mast. r Jack | 6 7 |
| St. John | 7 12 | Menotti | 7 2 | Dagon | 6 6 |
| Lady Claudia | 7 12 | Ashmet | 6 13 | Wee Bourke | 6 4 |
| Childe Harold | 7 12 | New Fashion | 6 12 | Sydney | 6 2 |
| Quintin Matsey | 7 10 | Too Too | 6 13 | Hopeful | 6 1 |
| Dufferin | 7 10 | Ragman | 6 11 | Danseuse | 6 0 |

CORINTHIAN FLAT RACE.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pembroke | 12 6 | Gulpin | 11 2 | Ettie | 10 7 |
| Goodwood | 12 0 | Maroney | 11 0 | Walhalla | 10 4 |
| Ellerslie | 12 0 | The Chanter | 11 0 | Princess Alice | 10 0 |
| King of the West | 11 10 | Fair Saxon | 11 0 | Orlando | 11 0 |
| Salvo | 11 7 | Seccess | 11 0 | Bonnie Chester | 9 12 |
| Teddy Yuille | 11 7 | Vinaigrette | 11 0 | Ex-Premier | 9 7 |
| Star | 11 4 | Eva | 10 7 | Carrick | 9 7 |

SELLING RACE, 100 sovs.—5 furlongs.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tambour | Rocket | St. Albert | Medes |
| Violet | Teddy Yuille | Avon | Sorcerer |
| Stella | Orlando | Rouge-et-Noir | Agatha |
| Ambassadress | Miss Merlin | Tabby | |

HUNT CLUB CUP.

| | st lb | | st lb | | st lb |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Abdallah | 13 0 | Hazelkirk | 11 7 | Donald Dinnie | 11 0 |
| Foul | 12 4 | Chicago | 11 7 | Redoubt | 11 0 |
| Harkaway | 11 10 | Duchess | 11 4 | Ruby | 11 0 |
| Dollar | 11 10 | Trooper | 11 3 | Budge | 10 7 |
| Highflyer | 11 10 | Wales | 11 0 | Moonlight | 10 7 |
| Little John | 11 7 | Sundowner | 11 0 | Bambini | 10 7 |
| The Brook | 11 7 | | | | |

### CANTERBURY PARK RACE CLUB.

The following is the programme to be discussed at Canterbury Park to-day:—

FIRST DAY, OCTOBER 1.

THE FLYING HANDICAP—7 furlongs.

| | st lb | | st lb | | st lb |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Leichhardt | 8 12 | Sentence | 7 6 | Mosquito | 6 8 |
| Victory | 8 10 | Lady Lovel | 7 4 | Deva | 6 6 |
| Phaon | 8 8 | First Flaneur | 7 4 | T. W. | 6 6 |
| African | 8 6 | Rossiville | 7 2 | Belvoirina | 6 4 |
| Tilburn | 8 4 | Asteria | 7 2 | Cerise and Gold | 6 4 |
| Glen Elgin | 8 2 | Golddust | 7 0 | Rosetta | 6 2 |
| Toronto | 8 0 | First Game | 7 0 | Remark | 6 2 |
| The Felon | 7 10 | Wah | 6 12 | Rejected | 6 0 |
| Kimsgrove | 7 8 | Fano | 6 10 | Oakwood | 6 0 |
| Chartreux | 7 7 | Stanford | 6 8 | | |

THE PARK STAKES—7 furlongs.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| First Flaneur | 8 7 | Belle Dame | 7 4 | Clarion | 6 7 |
| Junius | 8 3 | Remnant | 7 4 | Astorea | 6 7 |
| Mosquito | 8 0 | Corinna | 7 4 | Agnes | 6 5 |
| The Rip | 7 9 | Saranna | 7 2 | Fancy | 6 5 |
| Gindi | 7 9 | Laurel | 7 2 | Oceana | 6 3 |
| Lady Yattendon | 7 7 | Winnie | 7 0 | Oakwood | 6 3 |
| Hester | 7 7 | Sweetbriar | 7 0 | Rejected | 6 0 |
| Willie | 7 7 | Allan | 6 9 | Fergus | 6 0 |
| | | Erebus | 6 9 | Skelator | 6 0 |

THE OCTOBER HANDICAP—1 mile 1 furlong.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Leichhardt | 8 10 | Frolic | 7 10 | Pontifex | 6 10 |
| Figtree | 8 8 | Jack | 7 8 | Wah | 6 10 |
| Melanion | 8 0 | Sorella | 7 6 | Cutty Sark | 6 8 |
| Victory | 8 6 | The Felon | 7 6 | Lord of the Lake | 6 6 |
| Phaon | 8 4 | Kingsgrove | 7 4 | Granny | 6 4 |
| Kitawa | 8 4 | Comus | 7 4 | Friendless | 6 4 |
| Tilburn | 8 2 | Sentence | 7 2 | Huntingdon | 6 2 |
| Here's Luck | 7 12 | Bonnie Doon | 7 0 | Folly | 6 0 |
| Glen Elgin | 7 12 | The Knave | 7 0 | | |
| Burrida | 7 10 | Timbrel | 6 12 | | |

THE DISPOSAL STAKES—6 furlongs.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Willie | Le Prix | Murga | Belvoirina |
| Speculation | Arista | Sorata | Toronto |
| M'Gregor | Bessie | Tilburn | Claud |
| Fano | Sir Edward | Beacon | Winnie |

THE STEWARDS' MILE.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Melanion | 12 0 | Soldier's Wind | 10 3 | Remark | 9 5 |
| Victory | 12 0 | Cutty Sark | 10 3 | Lady Yattendon | 9 3 |
| Fauja-a-Ballagh | 11 7 | The Lifeboat | 10 0 | Hester | 9 3 |
| African | 11 5 | The Scamp | 10 0 | Granny | 9 3 |
| Frolic | 11 5 | Friendless | 10 0 | Polly | 9 0 |
| Leumeah | 11 3 | Bertram | 9 12 | Cacie Ned | 9 0 |
| Junius | 11 0 | Kuroclydon | 9 12 | Cerise and Gold | 8 12 |
| Dreamer | 10 9 | Stamford | 9 10 | Erebus | 8 10 |
| Sentence | 10 7 | Pamela | 9 7 | Oceana | 8 7 |
| Chartreux | 10 5 | Gleumere | 9 7 | Emeline | 8 7 |

[By Telegraph.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

### THE MELBOURNE BETTING MARKET.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The only item of interest in the betting market to-day was the support awarded to Silvermine for the Caulfield Cup, £1500 being booked at 10 to 1 and wanted, there being no more money at the figure. 10 to 1 was offered to a couple of thousands against Volcano, but the colt had no friends at the price. Recall and Lara were each backed to a little money at 100 to 7 and 100 to 6 respectively. Not a single transaction was noted either on the Derby or Melbourne Cup, 2 to 1 being offered in "monkeys" against Abercorn for the Derby, and 4 to 1 against the Australian Peer, whilst 5 to 1 is the best offer against Algerian for the Cup. There was nothing doing at the Victorian Club in the evening. The following are the latest scratchings:—Melbourne Hunt Club Hurdle Race: Guilt. Steeplechase: The Irishman. Hunt Club Cup: Little John.

### TASMANIAN RACING CLUB.

HOBART, Friday.

Entries were made to-day in connection with the Sires' Produce Stakes of the Tasmanian Racing Club. There are 25 in all. They include ten produce of Asservian, two of Manuka, two of King Arthur, four of Townley, and two of Napoleon.

### THE HAWKESBURY RACE CLUB.

RICHMOND, Friday.

The Hawkesbury Race Club committee decided to-day to hold a race meeting on November 26. There will be six events, one of £200, and five of £100 each. One sovereign will nominate for each, no sweeps. The full programme will appear in the *Sydney Mail* next week. The autumn programme was also adopted, comprising 10 events, for which the added money will be £1800. The meeting is to finish on the Saturday previous to the A.J.C. Easter meeting.

### SOUTH GRAFTON JOCKEY CLUB.

GRAFTON, Friday.

The South Grafton Jockey Club's annual meeting was held this week, and the officers were elected

## MINING INTELLIGENCE.

The following quotations were received in the mining market up to 1 o'clock yesterday:—Hetton Coal, 6½; West Wallsend Coal, contributing, 6s., 6s. 3d.; Broken Hill South Silver, 19s.; Central (paid up), 19s. 9d.; Eveline Silver, 8s. 6d., 9s. 6d.; Pinnacle Tribute Silver, 30s., 27s.; Terrible Dick Silver, 22½; Mount Morgan Gold, 6¾. The afternoon sales were:—Waratah Coal, 16¾; West Wallsend Coal (contributing), 6s. 3d.; Wickham and Bullock Island Coal, 15s. 9d.; Eveleen Silver, 9s. 9d., 10s.; Central Broken Hill Silver (paid up), 20s.; Pinnacle Tribute Silver, 26s., 25s. 6d.; Terrible Dick Silver, £24.

Subjoined are the latest quotations:—

| | Buyer. | Seller. | | Buyer. | Seller. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bulli | 7½ | 9 | Ditto, South, 20s paid | 18/ | 19/9 |
| Burwood | 28/9 | 29/6 | Ditto, 13s paid | 13/ | 14/6 |
| Newcastle | — | — | Webb's (call p.) | 14/ | — |
| Stockton | 35/6 | 36/6 | Central Broken Hill, ex Block | 19/9 | 20/3 |
| New issue | — | — | Ditto, 14s 6d pd | 14/ | 14/9 |
| Vale of Clwydd | 19/ | 21/ | Broken Hill Junction | 31/6 | 33/ |
| Wallsend | 44 | 45 | Day Dream | — | 7/ |
| Waratah | 16½ | 16¾ | Round Hills | 69/ | 70/ |
| Wickham and Bullock Isl'nd | 15/6 | 15/9 | Pinnacle Group | 12/ | 13/6 |
| Ditto, preferential, 5s paid | 6/6 | 7/6 | Rising Sun | — | 9/ |
| Katoomba | 12/6 | 15/ | Victoria Cross | — | 7/6 |
| Ditto, preferential, 1s paid | 1/1 | 1/3 | Terrible Dick | 22 | 24½ |
| West Wallsend, 20s paid | 14/ | 14/6 | Band & Albion | 57/6 | 63/ |
| Ditto, 11s paid | 6/ | 6/6 | Broken Hill N. | — | 13/ |
| Hetton | 6 | 6½ | Ravenswood | 15/ | — |
| Great Cobar Copper | — | 4/3 | Victory | 12/6 | 15/ |
| New Mt. Hope | — | 6/ | New Reform, Lucknow | 5/9 | 6/ |
| Nymagee | 5/6 | 7/ | Lankelly | — | — |
| Sunny Corner | 6/ | — | Duke, Timor | — | — |
| Eveleen, 20s pd | 9/9 | 10/ | Mount Morgan | 6½ | 7½ |
| Pinnacle T'bute | 25/ | 26/ | Hustler's Trib. | — | — |
| Broken Hill | — | 190 | Great Extended Hustler's | — | — |
| Ditto, Block 14 | 7¾ | 8¾ | | | |

The New South Wales Mining and Stock Exchange reports the following quotations:—Transactions: 500 Eveleens at 10s.; Williams' Mount Morgan, buyers £50, sellers £59; Gold Hills, paid up to 7s., buyers 7s., sellers 8s. 6d.; Mount Morgan, buyers £6 10s.; Ophir Deep Lead, paid up to £10, sellers £20; New Reform, sellers 7s.; New Reform Pups, paid up to 6s., sellers 6s.; Terrible Dick, paid up to £19, buyers £20, sellers £23; Lubra, sellers 6d.; Sunny Corner, sellers 6s. 9d.; Hell Hole (proprietary), buyers £900; Severn River, paid up to 20s., sellers 21s.; Giant's Den, paid up to 20s., sellers 6s.; Wesley, paid up to 20s., sellers 1s. 2d.

The hon. secretary of the Stock Exchange reports the crushing of the Band and Albion Gold Company, Ballarat, for the week to have been 330 tons stone, for a yield of 203ozs. gold.

The secretary of the Lewis' Ponds Gold and Silver-mining Company states that the company have shipped within the last fortnight 647 bags gold and silver ore (about 30 tons) to Europe, for treatment. This ore averages 1oz. 9dwt. 12gr. for gold, and 43oz. 19dwt. 12gr. for silver, to the ton of ore. The weather having now become settled, the company hope to ship from 30 to 40 tons per week.

The fourth half-yearly general meeting of shareholders in the Teralba Coal-mining Company, Limited, was held at the offices of Messrs Watt and Dodd, Pitt-street, yesterday, Mr. Andrew Armstrong presiding. The report and balance-sheet were unanimously adopted. It was shown that during the past six months the sinking of the pit had been suspended, pending result of negotiations for the sale of the company's property, which is still in abeyance. A site had been selected for a township area, which was now being laid out. Arrangements had also been entered into with the West Wallsend Coal Company for a joint construction of that part of the railway to the State line, which the company would use.

In another column will be found the prospectus of the New Chum Gold-mining Company, Limited, Croydon, Queensland, which is being floated with a capital of £40,000, in £1 shares. Fifteen thousand fully paid-up shares are retained by the present proprietors, and 35,000 contributing shares, issued as paid up to 7s. 6d. each, are offered to the public on terms which are set forth. The company is being formed to purchase and develop two claims upon the New Chum line of reef, Upper Twelve Mile, Croydon, Northern Queensland, known as the prospecting area No. 430 and No. 1 North, containing 650ft. on the line of reef by 400ft. wide.

The first general meeting of the shareholders in the Williams and Co. Mount Morgan Gold-mining Company, Limited, was held at the Sydney Exchange on Thursday. Mr. A. J. Lewington presided. There was a large attendance of shareholders. The report and balance-sheet were adopted unanimously, and Mr. T. Hungerford, the retiring director, was returned unopposed.

The prospectus of the Maiden Silver-mining Company, Rockwell Paddock, Barrier Ranges, will be found in another column. The proposed capital is £100,000, in £1 shares; of which 70,000, paid up to 15s., are offered to the public at 1s. per share on application, and 1s. 6d. on allotment. The company is being formed to purchase and mine on the property known as "Maiden's," on the Rockwell Paddock, consisting of three blocks, in all 90 acres, situate about 10 miles south-east of Broken Hill.

### MANAGERS' REPORTS.

The mine manager of the Broken Hill South Silver Mine telegraphs that the main shaft is now down 97ft.—no change; and that the crosscut from No. 1 shaft has been extended 14ft.

Gold Hill Gold-mining Company, Burnt Yards, near Orange.—The mining manager reports, under date September 26: Since last report I have been still driving for Orchard's vein, and have broken a small hole through, just sufficient to let a current of air in. I carried excellent gold in the drive, and have a quantity of very good stone in safes, which I took out in putting the winze up from vein No. 2. I have also paddocked about 8 tons of very good stone. I intend to continue driving north and south until the battery is ready for crushing. The north drive is in 28ft. in pretty hard country, but on the whole the mine looks very healthy indeed. The erection of the battery is being proceeded with as fast as possible. Two of the directors visited the mine during the week, and endorsed my opinion respecting the richness of the stone, and the prospects of the mine generally. By them I sent specimens of the last stone taken out, to be exhibited at the legal manager's office.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

ADELAIDE, FRIDAY.

Share Report.—Sales: Brokens, £188, £191; a 50th Mount Euriowies, South Tin Syndicate, £160; Block 14, £8, £8 15s.; Euriowies, £7 10s., £8 7s. 6d.; Wirralpas, 39s. 6d., 42s. 6d.; Victory, Tin, contributing, 37s. 6d.; Junctions, 31s., 33s.; Umberumberkas, o atributing, 27s., 28s.; Tributes, 26s. 6d.; Mount Carringtons, Gold, 15s. 9d., 17s.; Groupes, 14s. 9d.; Norths, 12s., 12s. 6d.; Evaleens, 8s. 9d., 11s. 6d.; Macdonnell Rubies, 7s. 7½d., 11s. 3d.; Caloolas, 6s. 6d., 8s; Victoria Crosses, 7s., 7s. 4½d.; Dreams, 6s., 6s. 6d.; Princess, 5s 4½d., 5s. 9d.; Dons, paid, 4s.; Lady Berrys, 3s. 6d., 3s. 9d.; East Almas, contributing, 3s.; Ridges, 3s., 3s. 6d.; Southern Crosses, contributing, 2s. 9d., 3s.; Kate, 2s., 2s. 4½d.

ARMIDALE, FRIDAY.

The Mount Carrington Gold Mine struck splendid stone in the winze, showing gold freely. The last fortnight's dollying from Baker's Creek Company (late Smith and party) yielded 120oz. of gold from 2½ tons of stone. The crushing machine will start next Tuesday. Two parallel reefs have been tested for 1000ft., containing from 10 to 50 ounces of stone. The Eleanora Mine sent in 120 ounces yesterday, the proceeds of the fortnight's crushing. Moore and party's mine, supposed to be the richest on the field, is still unworked, owing to law proceedings pending in the Supreme Court. Altogether mining matters are very active.

Our Barmedman correspondent telegraphs that an error appeared in our telegram from Barmedman, published on Wednesday last, in reference to alluvial prospecting. The omission of a period makes it appear that three nuggets had been obtained in a deep shaft west of Ada Hill. The nuggets were obtained at intervals in 8ft. sinking. The deep shaft is not yet bottomed. The omission of the period might cause a rush, and the insertion of the actual facts may prevent it.

BROKEN HILL, FRIDAY.

The return at the Broken Hill mine this week was:—Ore treated, 1106 tons; bullion, 249 tons; silver, 45,977oz. Leady ore is being raised, and it is not so silicious as last week. The War Dance mine has been purchased by a syndicate, and is to be worked forthwith. Mr. Patton, the new manager of the Broken Hill mine, arrived this afternoon. Mr. S. R. Wilson conducted him over the mine.

INVERELL, FRIDAY.

A largely attended meeting was held in the Town Hall last night, Mr. T. K. B. Mayne, J.P., being in the chair, to consider the advisability of assisting in forming a prospecting company. The initial step has been taken by Tingha, and delegates from that town were present, and submitted a prospectus which had been agreed to by the miners and business people of that locality. Mr. W. Litchfield, J.P., and Mr. R. Buist addressed the meeting on the subject. Mr. Munro moved a resolution in favour of the formation of a prospecting company, which was seconded by Mr. P. B. Eddy, and carried. On the motion of Mr. Jenkins, seconded by Mr. A. Oliver, the prospectus was adopted on the basis of 20,000 shares of 10s. each, 6d. on application, 6d. on allotment, and the balance in calls of not beyond 3d. per share per month, if required. Messrs. P. B. Eddy, J.P.; H. Munro, J.P.; W. Litchfield, J.P.; John Parker, and T. H. Penberthy, W. Litchfield, J.P., were appointed provisional directors, K. B. Mayne, J.P., was appointed secretary and treasurer. There is every prospect of the movement proving a great success. Over 3000 shares were taken up in the room.

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

Share Report.—Sales: Broken Hill Proprietary, £187, £190; Block 14, £8 7s. 6d., £8, £8 8s.; Junction, 32s., 30s.; North, 13s., 12s. 6d.; Central Broken Hill, 19s. 6d.; Pinnacle Tribute, 28s. 6d., 27s.; Dukes, 42s. 6d., 41s. 9d.

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## COMMERCIAL.

The following table shows the declared value of Imports and Exports at the Sydney Customs from January 1 to September 24, 1886 and 1887:—

| | 1886. | | 1887. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Imports. | Exports. | Imports. | Exports. |
| January 8 | £421,748 | £430,137 | £179,398 | £392,636 |
| " 15 | 446,843 | 397,832 | 232,377 | 275,854 |
| " 22 | 374,990 | 380,136 | 279,632 | 311,847 |
| " 29 | 479,546 | 379,792 | 267,654 | 144,977 |
| February 5 | 478,399 | 307,637 | 326,962 | 267,991 |
| " 12 | 415,829 | 349,387 | 417,412 | 349,715 |
| " 19 | 429,079 | 364,148 | 261,428 | 303,440 |
| " 26 | 456,838 | 404,152 | 299,703 | 167,964 |
| March 5 | 325,331 | 448,780 | 182,673 | 202,996 |
| " 12 | 343,206 | 157,190 | 345,787 | 294,456 |
| " 19 | 387,087 | 148,572 | 324,759 | 127,982 |
| " 26 | 509,223 | 207,047 | 358,708 | 222,866 |
| April 2 | 463,116 | 166,667 | 278,809 | 185,630 |
| " 9 | 394,376 | 102,721 | 332,704 | 86,488 |
| " 16 | 346,887 | 322,625 | 341,199 | 214,856 |
| " 23 | 309,178 | 189,863 | 335,396 | 148,322 |
| " 30 | 312,467 | 176,274 | 163,907 | 131,159 |
| May 7 | 949,344 | 136,866 | 156,822 | 157,121 |
| " 14 | 192,416 | 126,037 | 241,272 | 141,625 |
| " 21 | 330,123 | 219,013 | 168,791 | 115,134 |
| " 28 | 93,818 | 130,564 | 136,075 | 78,642 |
| June 4 | 375,699 | 244,113 | 271,422 | 512,090 |
| " 11 | 177,652 | 104,435 | 257,744 | 54,362 |
| " 18 | 315,533 | 172,789 | 333,698 | 71,817 |
| " 25 | 336,923 | 201,314 | 197,305 | 80,548 |
| July 2 | 345,790 | 104,019 | 209,650 | 84,384 |
| " 9 | 346,670 | 142,763 | 214,962 | 175,533 |
| " 16 | 328,773 | 123,986 | 196,439 | 149,128 |
| " 23 | 310,536 | 141,923 | 470,543 | 110,031 |
| " 30 | 307,946 | 106,740 | 222,126 | 98,462 |
| August 6 | 321,697 | 59,405 | 255,111 | 39,433 |
| " 13 | 274,904 | 181,337 | 345,384 | 116,540 |
| " 20 | 494,582 | 151,182 | 280,537 | 247,996 |
| " 27 | 235,163 | 104,123 | 198,224 | 163,398 |
| September 3 | 379,097 | 136,574 | 206,697 | 150,324 |
| " 10 | 268,099 | 140,901 | 398,953 | 303,209 |
| " 17 | 351,572 | 98,909 | 233,707 | 115,743 |
| " 24 | 308,553 | 146,692 | 202,755 | 199,131 |
| Totals | £12,787,863 | £6,662,854 | £9,974,876 | £3,817,737 |

The total value of Imports at the port of Sydney for the week ended 24th September, 1887, amounts to £202,755, of which the principal items are:—

Apparel and drapery, £41,471; flour, £7347; gold, £33,718; hardware, £3354; kerosene, £960; malt, £930; rice, £4048; sugar, £13,790; skins and hides, £1052; tea, £12,759; tin ore, £3066; tin ingots, £11,565; timber, £3515; tobacco and cigars, £865; whisky, £1225; wool, £2067.

The total value of Exports for the same period from the port of Sydney for the week ending September 24, 1887, amounts to £199,131, of which the principal items are:—

Bacon, £1530; boots, £1436; books, £2098; coal, £5307; coin, £31,135; copra, £2190; copper, £14,463; drapery, £3159; flour, £39910; hardware, £3449; live stock, £1360; leather, £1551; meats, £3036; jewellery, £3840; sugar, £1358; skins, £4521; spirits, £1188; tallow, £761.9; tin, £26,300; wool, £63,994.

### THE WOOL TRADE.

The cable messages of the week are certainly anything but cheerful reading to those having wool for disposal at these sales, and, judging from private advices to hand the last few days, it is in some quarters conjectured that a perusal of the catalogues when they reach us will show that the decline reported is far from being overestimated. It is not easy to assign an adequate cause for this persistent tendency to lower values. Possibly one reason may be found in the fact that manufacturers, learning from correspondents on this side that the incoming clip is likely to prove so much superior to its predecessors, prefer to wait for it rather than go on purchasing old wool, seeing that there will be a fair quantity of the new clip arriving in time for the November sales. It must not either be overlooked that manufacturers operating in the colonies promptly will be in receipt of regular shipments shortly after the middle of November and onwards, so that in their case, at any rate, the necessity to lay in large stocks during the current series is by no means pressing.

At Adelaide further sales took place on the 21st instant, and are reported on as follows:—To-day Messrs. Luxmoor and Co. held their opening wool sales. There was a good attendance of buyers; 1700 were offered. The bidding was not very brisk, and many lines were withdrawn. Wool from the Darling and Murray district, in fair condition, and sound well-grown Northern wools, rather heavy, fetched the highest prices. Greasy were 8½d.; scoured merinos, 14½d; scoured, 11d. At the New Zealand Company's sale 1000 bales of greasy scoured were offered. There was a good attendance of foreign and local buyers, and competition was good. Medium qualities of wool were depressed, and prices showed about ½d. decline upon current rates in November last. Scoured hoggets secured the top price of 14d.; scoured wool, 13½d. For medium greasy there was a good demand. The quotations for super greasy merino were 7d. to 8d.; medium ditto, 6d.; pieces, 4d. to 6d.

In Melbourne, the opening sale, as stated in our last, is fixed for next Wednesday, when Messrs. R. Goldsbrough and Co. will offer their catalogue.

The only feature in our market calling for special attention is a sale by Messrs. J. H. Geddes and Co., who report having sold about 200 bales, being first consignment of W E and Co. over O REEL clip (from North Western district), consisting of about 1800 bales, at a satisfactory figure. A few small catalogues are likely to be offered during the coming week, but no parcels of importance will be submitted.

The following are the brands of portions of clips which have been taken into store during the past week:—WHP Greenbank over JOW, MR over New Gulargambone, AIB over Namoi, GR over Tenandra, W. Martin over Mudgee, EJL over Birriwa, Melrose Plains, FAX in diamond over Mudgee, T over diamond conjoined, J.M'M over Weetalabah, A B Bros. over Narraway, F P over Gapview, JS over H over MDC, JW over Springvill, RED, JC over Kialgara, RCC over Mulga, LL, TH over R over Barwon, JK over S, JR over Kaytown, EW over PP, PW, Quandong, JP, EJ over Cadelle, EW over Alvanor, Mount Brandon, GAC over WGRN, Heart over Lansdowne, MCL over Florida, R Cox over Woodpark, WOM, P'MM over Genamoney, Billabong over RIC, I, TPF over Narraway, PS over Bogan, Jones over Merrigal, PFG, G&R over W, DI over B, Weelong, Cooraburrama over WB, BRN in diamond, C Bros over Beir, AH over Molun, JB conjoined over Brindley Park, B&T over Celony, Elwood, MAB over Neimby, JH over Beanba, D&M over Bulgan dramine, Tabratong, M&Co over Goorianawa, Bimble over WGT, Calga, RBS over Corumbi, C in diamond, JS, Griggs, Li. over Namoi, Howlong, Curlew Park, Brongella, Murril Creek.

The arrivals by rail and sea continue to increase, and this week amount to 15,885 bales, as against 9793 bales for the corresponding week of last year.

Exports include the cargoes of six vessels, taking 17,400 bales, as under:—

FROM SYDNEY.

| Date. | Vessel. | Bales. |
|---|---|---|
| Sept. 22 | Port Pirie, s.s. | 1,871 |
| " 27 | Orizaba, s.s. | 726 |
| " 27 | Hubbuck, s.s. | 3,533 |
| " 28 | Australasian, s.s. | 4,464 |
| " 28 | Afghan, s.s. | 1,485 |
| | | 12,079 |
| To which, adding previous shipments | | 14,422 |
| Gives a total of | | 26,501 |

FROM NEWCASTLE.

| Date. | Vessel. | Bales. |
|---|---|---|
| Sept. 10 | Deepdale, s.s. | 621 |
| " 20 | Port Pirie, s.s. | 913 |
| " 25 | Australasian, s.s. | 2,748 |
| " 28 | Afghan, s.s. | 1,040 |
| | | 5,321 |

Compared with the two previous years, the exports to present time from New South South Wales are:—

| 1887-8. | 1886-7. | 1885-6. |
|---|---|---|
| 31,822 | 22,000 | 26,526 |

showing an increase of 9822 bales over last year, and 6296 bales above the season of 1885-6.

Sheepskins.—The market is not so active as it has been, and prices show a further decline. The following are the latest quotations:—Butchers' green skins, full-woolled, 40d. to 48d.; three-quarter woolled, 33d. to 39d.; half-woolled, 24d. to 30d.

### PRODUCE MARKET—FRIDAY.

Good supplies of forage and wood were submitted this morning at Darling Harbour terminus. The sales were fairly attended by the trade. The inquiry for forage was almost exclusively for the best lots, but for lower descriptions it was languid. Values were unaltered. In wood no change is recorded, business remaining slack. At the wharfs average quantities were forward from Northern and Southern rivers and adjacent colonies. Business, as usual at the close of the month, was quiet, and transactions were only for the day's requirements. Onions were slightly firmer, but otherwise late ruling rates were maintained. At Darling Harbour sales the following values were realised:—

Wood.—Ironbark, 7s 6d to 10s; bundle, 7s to 12s; loot, 9s to 12s 6d; bakers', 8s to 10s 6d.

Hay.—Fair consignments. Competition was chiefly confined to the best lots, whilst for other descriptions, especially inferior samples, it was very slack. Oaten, in bundles, 5s 5d to 6s 10d per cwt.; off qualities, 4s 6d to 5s; oaten and wheaten, in bundles, 5s to 6s 10d.

Straw.—Short arrivals. Clean, in bundles, at 1s 9d to 2s 1d per cwt.

Chaff.—Excepting for good lines, buyers' demands were restricted. Oaten, in bags, 5s to 4s 7d per cwt.

At the wharfs the following were the wholesale quotations:—

Maize.—In addition to the local supplies a quantity of South African maize is also on hand, for which 3s 6d per bushel is asked.

River samples at 3s 9d per bushel.

Oats.—Unaltered. Good bright heavy feed descriptions steady at 2s 1d to 2s 3d per bushel; medium and dark lines very weak from 1s 11d; seed, to 2s 3d.

Barley.—Best Cape seed is still nominally worth 3s to 3s 3d per bushel.

Bran.—Quoted, at 7½d to 8d per bushel.

Pollard.—In little more inquiry to 8d per bushel.

Flour.—Fairly large shipments from the Hunter River this morning. Trade is unimproved. Prime lucerne commands the greatest attention, at £3 15s to £3 per ton; other classes are nominal from 30s.

Chaff.—Stocks replenished from the neighbouring colonies last night. Best Victorian and Adelaide parcels, £4 15s to £5 per ton; inferior is neglected.

Onions.—A light Victorian arrival last night, for which to £3 5s per ton is quoted; old supplies, from £2 15s.

Potatoes.—The usual transhipment cargo from Tasmania this morning arrived in a very indifferent condition. Good Circular Head steady at £3 10s per ton; New Zealand, £2 5s to £2 10s.

Butter.—Slack. By auction, Illawarra, in keg, realised 6d to 7d per lb.; roll, 5d to 7d; factory-made, 6d to 8½d.

Cheese.—Ordinary colonial sorts unaltered at 2½d to 4d per lb.; loaf cheese, 5d to 6d; New Zealand, to 6d.

Lard.—Finely rendered in bladders, in very limited inquiry, at 6d per lb.; in bulk, from 5½d.

Bacon.—Hand-cured, Southern, in most request, at 6d to 7d per lb.; machine-cured, 4d to 5½d; heavy and rough pieces, 3d to 4d; machine-cured hams, 6d to 7d; hand-cured, 7d to 8d; New Zealand bacon, 7d to 8d; hams, to 11d.

Honey.—Good and clear quiet, at 4d to 5d per lb.; other sorts from 2½d.

Eggs.—Additional supplies, chiefly from the Northern rivers, this morning. Selling at 10d to 11d per dozen.

Poultry.—An active demand exists at per pair:—Fowls, 3s 6d to 4s 6d; ducks, 4s 6d to 5s 6d; geese, 5s to 6s; turkeys, 7s to 12s.

Meat.—The Riverstone Meat Company report the disposal of 63 bodies of beef at 1½d to 2½d per lb.; 600 mutton, 1½d to 1¾d. Mr. H. M'Namara, of the Metropolitan Meat Market, reports sales of beef at 1½d to 2½d; mutton, 1½d to 1¾d. lambs in carcass, 4s to 10s; veal, 3d; pork, 4½d. Messrs. John Evans and Co. report having sold, at New Meat Market, Pyrmont:—For Mills and Jobson, 750 carcasses Goulburn mutton at 1½d to 1¾d; 225 quarters beef 1½d to 2½d; 50 porkers at 4d to 4½d. For Sydney Meat Company: 300 rumps and loins beef, 2½d to 3½d; 125 hind quarters, 2½d to 2¾d; 250 sheep at 1½d to 1¾d. For H. W. Lawrence: 225 quarters of Orange beef at 1½d to 2½d; vealers (M'Mahon) at 3d to 3½d; 50 porkers at 4½d to 4½d. Messrs. William Inglis and Son report selling by auction 330 quarters beef, 1½d to 2½d per lb., and 120 carcasses mutton at 1½d.

Fruit.—At George-street Market, the bulk of seasonable varieties forward were from Fiji, Queensland, and the colony. A fair quantity of Tasmanian sorts was also on hand. Business was moderately active. Quotations range as follows:—Tasmanian apples, 10s to 15s per case; American apples, 10s to 15s; Queensland pineapples, 8s to 8s per dozen, or 18s to 20s per case; Fiji bananas, 2s to 6s per bunch; oranges, 5s to 8s; mandarins, good lots, 12s to 14s; lemons, 3s to 5s; loquats, 15s; passion fruit, 6d per dozen; cocoanuts, 7s to 8s per bag.

The following is a return of produce received coastwise for the week ended September 28:—

| — | — | N. S. Wales | Q'nsland. | Victoria. | New Z'land | South Aus. | Tasmania | Total. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wool | bls. | 2,202 | 751 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2,953 |
| Tallow | cks. | 49 | 117 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 166 |
| Hides | No. | 1,906 | 1,426 | ... | 85 | ... | ... | 3,417 |
| Horns | bgs. | 125 | 13 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 138 |
| Bones | bgs. | 45 | 65 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 110 |
| Hay | bls. | 946 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 946 |
| Chaff | bgs. | ... | ... | 3,831 | ... | 2,567 | ... | 6,398 |
| Flour | bgs. | ... | ... | 4,269 | ... | 5,871 | ... | 10,140 |
| Bran | bgs. | ... | ... | 154 | ... | 150 | ... | 304 |
| Pollard | bgs. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Maize | bgs. | 17,123 | ... | 1,596 | 1,100 | ... | ... | 19,879 |
| Oats | bgs. | ... | ... | ... | 150 | ... | ... | 150 |
| Barley | bgs. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Wheat | bgs. | ... | ... | 669 | ... | ... | ... | 669 |
| Potatoes | bgs. | ... | ... | ... | 96 | ... | 11,249 | 11,345 |
| Onions | bgs. | ... | ... | 1,002 | ... | ... | ... | 1,002 |
| Butter | kgs. | 606 | ... | 29 | ... | ... | ... | 635 |
| Cheese | No. | 3,230 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3,230 |
| | case | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Bacon | bgs. | 91 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 91 |
| | case | 11 | ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | 13 |
| Honey | pks. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Lard | pks. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Peas | bgs. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Eggs | case | 520 | ... | 30 | ... | ... | ... | 550 |
| Poultry | cps. | 107 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 107 |
| Straw | bdls | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| | bgs. | 902 | 17,943 | ... | ... | ... | 1,244 | 1,244 |
| Sugar | mts | 2,513 | 2,015 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 18,847 |
| | pkt | ... | 3,224 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 4,528 |
| | pkg | ... | 6,894 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 6,894 |

Return of produce exported coastwise for the same period:—

| — | — | Q'nsland. | Victoria. | New Z'land | South Aus. | Tasmania | Total. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wool | bales. | ... | 826 | ... | ... | ... | 826 |
| Hides | No. | ... | 1,035 | ... | ... | 207 | 1,242 |
| Hay | bales. | 61 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 61 |
| Chaff | bags. | 585 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 585 |
| Flour | bags. | 10,062 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10,062 |
| Bran | bags. | 791 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 791 |
| Pollard | bags. | 365 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 365 |
| Maize | bags. | 3,933 | 65 | ... | ... | ... | 3,998 |
| Oats | bags. | 1,153 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1,153 |
| Barley | bags. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Wheat | bags. | 389 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 389 |
| Potatoes | bags. | 2,127 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2,127 |
| Onions | bags. | 133 | ... | 30 | ... | ... | 163 |
| Butter | kegs. | 269 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 269 |
| Cheese | cases. | 128 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 128 |
| Bacon | pkgs. | 35 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 35 |
| Peas | bags. | 80 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 80 |
| Sugar | pkgs. | 83,377 | 5,510 | ... | ... | 2,125 | 44,510 |

The following is a return of the principal articles of export for the period from the 1st January to the 30th September, 1887:—

| Months. | Wool, Bales. | Skins, Bales. | Hides, No. | Tallow, Cks. | Tin, Ingots | Copper Ingots. | Leather, Bls. | Pres. Meat, Cases. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jan. | 60,900 | 458 | 9,151 | 2,553 | 24,512 | 20,228 | 226 | 7,273 |
| Feb. | 41,350 | 1,142 | 10,620 | 1,145 | 18,937 | 25,724 | 342 | 8,539 |
| Mar. | 30,427 | 769 | 10,863 | 3,230 | 13,551 | 19,682 | 228 | 11,738 |
| April | 28,759 | 1,086 | 12,896 | 3,653 | 16,544 | 15,731 | 647 | 16,149 |
| May | 8,461 | 647 | 6,470 | 1,483 | 17,020 | 36,640 | 238 | 16,101 |
| June | 4,522 | 161 | 10,468 | 3,409 | 13,956 | 22,172 | 164 | 10,026 |
| July | 2,784 | 414 | 7,311 | 1,821 | 61,551 | 29,121 | 220 | 21,715 |
| Aug. | 2,193 | 434 | 10,225 | 1,839 | 25,114 | 48,872 | 200 | 22,235 |
| Sep. | 22,729 | 426 | 14,076 | 2,076 | 30,178 | 12,240 | 293 | 18,658 |
| Total | 178,454 | 5,357 | 85,416 | 19,747 | 171,685 | 262,763 | 2,658 | 154,533 |
| 1886 | 141,265 | 5,909 | 68,548 | 11,163 | 158,954 | 277,368 | 3,194 | 83,966 |

| Mth. | Hoofs and Bones | Horns, No. | Pri shell C's. | Copra Bags. | Gold Coined. Boxes and Value. | | Gold Uncoined. Boxes. Value. | | Silver, Boxes and Value. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Tn. Ct. | | | | Bxs. | £ | Bxs. | £ | Bxs. | £ |
| Jan. | 40 0 | 22,297 | 332 | 1,479 | 13 | 10,873 | 1 | 452 | 14 | 3,958 |
| Feb. | 43 1 | 134,312 | 59 | 2,249 | 28 | 31,436 | ... | ... | 1 | 150 |
| Mar. | 16 0 | 49,500 | 159 | 1,745 | 24 | 62,710 | 1 | 1,028 | 13 | 3,067 |
| April | 30 0 | 68,068 | 51 | 1,919 | 18 | 61,340 | ... | ... | 9 | 1,000 |
| May | 25 9 | 37,108 | 51 | 7,675 | 30 | 61,930 | 1 | 564 | 5 | 1,399 |
| June | 25 16 | 2,840 | 63 | 1,170 | 2 | 770 | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| July | ... | 10,632 | 20 | ... | 26 | 22,575 | 3 | 172 | 4 | 739 |
| Aug. | 3 7 | ... | 867 | 4,802 | 56 | 106,539 | 16 | 1,234 | 19 | 4,927 |
| Sept. | 34 12 | 90,546 | 52 | 4,324 | 38 | 200,080 | 6 | 23,223 | 3 | 1,000 |
| Total. | 248 11 | 415,302 | 1157 | 28,142 | 236 | 635,073 | 28 | 26,682 | 65 | 15,745 |
| 1886. | 300 3 | 346,600 | 1808 | 67,134 | 274 | 830,796 | 31 | 18,304 | 209 | 90,841 |

In addition to the above the export of shale was as follows:—April, 1600 tons; May, 972; June, 797; July, 1237; August, 2386. Total, 6792 tons, as against 650 tons in 1886.

### STOCK, STATION, AND PRODUCE REPORTS.

Tallow.—Messrs. Brunker and Wolfe, J. H. Geddes and Co., Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, Mort and Co., Limited, F. L. Barker, Hill, Clark, and Co., and J. Bridge report holding sales yesterday. 748 packages were offered, and 531 sold publicly. The market continues quiet. Shippers operated sparingly. Trade lots were again weak. Quotations—Best beef, £17 5s to £15 17s per ton; medium, £16 to £17; mixed and station, from £14; inferior, from £12; best mutton, to £18 10s.

Hides.—4626 were offered and 5643 sold at yesterday's sales. A strong demand was noticeable throughout sales and values rulled firm. Some descriptions advanced ½d to ¾d per lb., especially good heavies. Quotations:—Extra heavy, in good condition, 3¾d to 4d per lb., exceptional lots to 4¼d; heavies, 3½d to 3¾d; medium, 3¼d to 3½d; light and dry, 3½d to 4¼d; horsehides in request, 4s to 7s 6d; yearlings, 4s to 9s; calfskins, 1s 3d to 3s 6d.

Marsupial Skins.—Large catalogues of all descriptions were offered yesterday at auction, by Messrs. Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, and Brunker and Wolfe. They report large sizes kangaroo were again weaker; other sorts unaltered. Small skins were only in restricted request. Quotations:—Extra large kangaroo, 100s to 105s per dozen; very large, 75s to 90s; large, 56s to 64s; fair, 40s to 50s; medium, 30s to 38s; small, 12s to 24s; very small, 1s to 9s; good wallaby was quitted readily at 8s to 10s; fair, 4s to 6s; small, 2s to 3s; scrub, 1s to 3s; well furred opossum skins were in strong demand at 8s to 10s; medium, 4s to 5s 6d; rumpers, 2s to 3s.

Hair.—Inquiry is still maintained at 13d to 15d per lb. for horsetail; mane, 12d; cow-washed, 10d to 11d; dirty, 6d to 9d; stumps from 3½d; mixed, 11d to 13d.

Horns and Bones.—The former continued to sell readily at 25s to 34s per 100 for large and well cared for lots; medium, 12s 6d to 24s; small, 6s to 10s. Tips from 2s 6d. Bones are quiet at £5 10s to £6 per ton for best shanks; faulty from £3 10s. Common bones, £3. Hoofs, £2.

Leather.—The business transacted at Tuesday's sales was on a very limited scale. Sole is still in request for local requirements, owing to the absence of shippers. Kip and tweed are slow of sale. Harness lines continue inactive. Basils are in ample supply, and the demand is limited. Quotations: Sole, extra heavy, 11d to 12d; medium, 8d to 8½d. Kip, best, 15d to 16d; medium, 12½d to 14d. Cow tweed, 18d to 24d; heavy, 15s to 16d. Calf tweed, 18d to 22d; harness, 12½d to 14s; bag, 9s to 11s; bridle, 9s to 11s 9d.

Horses.—The market during the week has been supplied from country districts, the town, and suburbs. A strong demand exists for stock suitable for light harness work and also active and heavy draught, chiefly the latter. Quotations: Superior saddle and harness horses, £25 to £33; exceptional, to £60; ordinary, £10 to £18; active van and draught stock, £14 to £26; heavy draught, to £35.

Store Cattle.—Moderate demand for store bullocks. On Victorian border quotations are 105s to 110s; in western districts, 95s to 97s 6d.

Store Sheep.—Not much doing. Wethers worth 5s 6d to 5s 9d; mixed weaners, 7s; young ewes, 9s to 10s.

Stations.—Enquiries noticed for compact well-secured station properties.

### PROPERTY SALES.

Richardson and Wrench report having sold by auction and private contract during the week the following properties:—City block of land having 44ft. 2½in. frontage to Kent-street, south of Market-street, and adjoining the Technological College, £3978 15

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For full particulars kindly interview W. A. BRODIE and CO., Auctioneers, Parramatta.

LAND FOR SALE.
SOUTH CREEK and MOUNT DRUITT, GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY, 27 miles from Sydney.
COUNTRY HOMES FOR THE PEOPLE.
DAIRY FARMS, ORCHARDS, VINEYARDS, and GARDENS, ranging from 4 to 11 acres each.
Rich black and sandy loam, with a good retentive subsoil.
PRICES, £17 10s to £25.
TERMS—£2 DEPOSIT.
Balance by EASY MONTHLY PAYMENTS, with liberty to PAY OFF AT ANY TIME.
TORRENS' TITLE.
Full particulars apply NEW SOUTH WALES PROPERTY INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited, 4, PARK-STREET, SYDNEY.

WAVERLEY.—A bargain, Two 6-roomed HOUSES, brick on stone, slate roof, buggy entrance, garden back and front, grand ocean view, good spring water. WILLS, fruiterer, tram terminus, Waverley.

MANLY.—The best-elevated healthiest BLOCK in Manly for SALE, 10 minutes from pier; for beautiful views and surroundings it stands unsurpassed; 90 x 250, fronting 3 good roads, overlooking the great Fairlight Estate; only £5 foot.
B. SMITH, 206, Victoria-street, Darlinghurst.

BRISBANE-ST., Waverley.—LOT 8, Lawson Estate, near Stratton's hotel, £6 foot. P. Durie, Pub. School, Pad.

NELSON ESTATE.—Lot 22, splendid ocean view, fronting tram line, £6 foot. P. Durie, Pub. school, Pad.

SUMMER HILL.—For SALE, well-appointed detached brick VILLA, containing 6 rooms, laundry, fitted tubs, copper, asbestos fires, electric bells, marble mantles, tiled hearths, thoroughly well built and tastefully finished. The land has 40ft. frontage by good depth, laid out in garden, with asphalted paths. Well elevated, only 3 minutes from station. Price, £950 and terms.
COLLINS'S AGENCY, Summer Hill Station.

BEAUTIFUL Marine Villa SITE, water frontage, pick of the harbour, view magnificent. Box 1143, G. P. O.

TERRACE PROPERTIES for SALE, Paddington, Woollahra, Waverley, Surry Hills, City.
Particulars, A. W. WEBSTER, Agent, 450, Oxford-street, Paddington.

HOUSES and COTTAGES, Paddington, Woollahra, Waverley, Randwick, from £175 to £4000, small deposits, balance as rent. A. W. WEBSTER, Estate Agent, 450, Oxford-street, Paddington.

LAND.—For SALE, splendid BLOCK, 202ft., alongside Harding's Hotel, North Shore. Apply Mr. M'MAHON, The Point, Lavender Bay, North Shore.

HURSTVILLE.—ALLOTMENT for SALE. Apply 192, King-street, Newtown.

RYDALMERE.—LAND for SALE, cheap. Apply 192, King-street, Newtown.

CANLEY VALE.—Block of LAND for SALE, cheap. Apply 192, King-street, Newtown.

FOR SALE, Semi-detached HOUSE, 6 rooms, 25s week, bargain. Marcer, Pearl and Alice streets, Newtown.

FOR SALE, splendid investment, Redfern and Newtown, TERRACES, 14 and 4 Houses, brick, stone foundations, slate roofs, always let, will pay 18 per cent. on £800; deposit, balance can remain. Marcer, Pearl-street, off Alice-st., Newtown.

FOR SALE, in highest and best of Boulevard, Petersham, a beautifully-finished COTTAGE, brick, cemented, slate roof, double front, 3 bedrooms, drawing and dining room, folding doors, gas, hall, conservatory, tiled hearths, and verandah, kitchen, bathroom, pantry, washhouse fitted with copper, tubs, water; carriage entrance; land 39 feet by good depth; 8 minutes from Lewisham station; small deposit, terms. W. BOOKER, Boulevard, near Piggott-street.

ANNANDALE, Wells-street.—LAND, 22 by 100, £5 per foot, £5 dep. Raine and Horne, Temple-court, King-st.

NORTH SHORE.—Water FRONTAGE, price £14 per foot. Raine and Horne, Temple-court, King-street.

CROYDON.—Pretty Detached VILLA, near station, built of brick, containing 9 rooms and out-offices; frontage, 150ft. to Grosvenor-st.; room on either side for another house. RANDOLPH H. NOTT, 313, George-street.

SUMMER HILL.—For SALE, pretty detached RESIDENCE, 7 rooms, replete with every convenience, situate corner Canterbury-road and Albert-street; lovely view. RANDOLPH H. NOTT, 313, George-street.

MAGNIFICENT FARM, known as WOODSTOCK, Orange-road, for SALE by auction, on 17th OCTOBER. The above is considered unequalled in the Western district; at present under lease at £60 per annum, to expire 17 months from date of sale. Easy terms, to suit purchasers.
BURKE and CO., Auctioneers, Orange.

LIVERPOOL.—Several good Brick and W.B. Houses, centre of the town. Taylor and Co., 141, Pitt-street.

ASHFIELD.—We have a bargain to offer.—Large COTTAGE, drawing-room 30 x 18, dining-room 18 x 16, folding-doors, 3 large bedrooms, 2 servants' bedrooms, splendid court at rear, making dining-room, billiard-room, or conservatory; large kitchen, 2 large pantries, bath and dressing rooms, lavatory, &c., laundry, fitted tubs, copper, &c.; woodhouse, stable, coachhouse, man's room, all hearths tiled; verandah around two sides, with glazed conservatory at end, all tiled; marble mantels, electric bells

## Auction Sales.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY.

CLAREVILLE ESTATE,
at the
TRAM TERMINUS,
SANDRINGHAM, LADY ROBINSON'S BEACH,
near KOGARAH TOWNSHIP,
fronting
CLAREVILLE-AVENUE,
continuation of the
SANDRINGHAM-ROAD,
SUBDIVIDED into 46 VILLA and BUILDING ALLOTMENTS.

*** The CLAREVILLE AVENUE FRONTAGES are
VERY SUITABLE
as
SITES for REFRESHMENT ROOMS,
being at the Tram Terminus.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction,
ON THE GROUND,
THIS DAY, SATURDAY, 1st OCTOBER,
at 3 o'clock,
The above BEAUTIFUL and DELIGHTFULLY-SITUATED SUBDIVISION.
TERMS OF SALE:
5 per cent. deposit, balance by 36 monthly payments; interest 6 per cent.
PLAN and LITHOGRAPHS at the ROOMS.

FREE TRAIN and TRAM TICKETS READY.

TORRENS' TITLE.

Surveyors—Messrs. DAWSON and DAWSON, Pitt-street. (1377)

By Order of the ADMINISTRATORS of the Estate of the late R. CARLTON, Esq.

KING-STREET,
the Oxford-street of
NEWTOWN.

To BANKERS, CAPITALISTS, and SHOPKEEPERS.

That EXCEEDINGLY VALUABLE and EXTENSIVE BLOCK of LAND, at the CORNER
of
KING and WILSON STREETS,
being the
BUSINESS CENTRE
of this
POPULOUS and IMPORTANT SUBURB
and nearly opposite
the
COMMERCIAL BANK
BANK OF AUSTRALASIA,
and
TOWN HALL.

This is without exception
THE BEST CORNER SITE
now obtainable in this
BUSY THOROUGHFARE.

The FRONTAGES are about
132 FEET TO KING-STREET
183 FEET TO WILSON-STREET.
Depth on base line, 87 feet.

The present low rental is £347 per annum, to weekly tenants.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the ROOMS, PITT-STREET, on FRIDAY, 7th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above corner block of property, well worthy the attention of capitalists, bankers, speculators, trustees, and builders.

It is for POSITIVE SALE by order of Administrators, who desire to close accounts in the Estate of the late Mr. R. Carlton.
Messrs. ELLIS and MAKINSON, Elizabeth-street, are solicitors of the Estate. (1469)

By order of EXECUTORS Estate late Mrs. JANE HOBBS.

CATHERINE-STREET, LEICHHARDT,
a little north of Parramatta-road.

1st. BLOCK OF LAND, Lot 1, having 54 feet frontage to east side of CATHERINE-STREET, and 67 feet to WILLIAM-STREET, depth through 157 feet.
2nd. BLOCK OF LAND, 72 feet to WILLIAM-STREET, 96½ feet to JAMES-STREET, depth through 220 feet.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 7th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above well-situated building lands, handy to the tram, and in a suburb yearly increasing in population.
Plan on view. Terms at sale.
Messrs. STEPHEN and ICKERSON, Pitt-street, Solicitors of the Estate. (1466)

PITTWATER. PITTWATER.

the future Marine Resort for
RESIDENCES, TOURISTS, and PICNICS,
delightful climate, scenery, and rich soil.
IMPROVING STEAM COMMUNICATION
and projected LIGHT RAILWAY or TRAMWAY,
the latter now being applied for to Parliament.

TO SYNDICATES, BUILDING SOCIETIES, SPECULATORS, and ORCHARDMEN.

PICKED BLOCK of
101 Acres 3 Roods 37 Perches.
Lot 3.—Southern division of famous Subdivision of late Rev. J. J. Therry's Grant—only a few hundred yards from the new and useful Public Wharf erected by the Government, who are also about to form the road up to the boundary point of this land. It is well-known as Mr. Crespin's block, chosen with good judgment for position and soil. It is all fenced, and on it are store, cottage, schoolroom, &c.; here and there are a few acres cleared and all ready for planting. Streets have been marked off through it for prospective subdivision, and in the near future, by the many charming features of the district, coupled with easy travelling facilities,
SETTLEMENT WILL BE HERE,
and prices very manifestly enhance. The sale of this intact Block is recommended to the notice of all of above classes of buyers as a chance affording the opportunity to acquire and soon realise at a handsome profit.
Vendor is out of the colony, and his representative desires to sell.
TERMS WILL BE LIBERAL.
Mr. ——— is in charge of the property, and will give every information to inquirers.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the ROOMS, PITT-STREET, on FRIDAY, 7th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above grand block, Pittwater.

Messrs Ellis and Makinson are solicitors for Vendor.

PLAN ON VIEW. (1474)

IN THE ESTATE LATE MRS. R. HAYES.

CHUTER'S ESTATE, NORTH SHORE.

THREE Weatherboard COTTAGES and LAND, fronting the east side of WEBB-STREET, a few yards north of SUSANNAH-STREET, overlooking Berrys Bay. The Land has 50 feet frontage by a depth of 92 feet on one side, and 78 feet on the other.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the Executors to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 7th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above substantially-built property at North Shore, only a short distance west of Blues Point-road. Further particulars in future issue.
Inspection invited. (1480)

RANDWICK. RANDWICK.
ASHRIDGE, a CHARMING RESIDENCE,

Commanding remarkably beautiful and extensive views of bays, ocean, glens, and hills, in various directions. The Grounds are of large area, with two frontages, viz., to Dutruc and Chapel streets. The House is exceptionally well built, with massive brick walls, and finished throughout in a handsome style, with picked cedar and superior marble mantels, &c. It is two-storied, having verandahs and balconies front and side, wide hall, 8 spacious rooms, lobby, 2 pantries, kitchen, laundry, large bathroom, fitted. At rear is stabling and coachhouse, fowlhouse, &c.

The situation cannot be surpassed for elevation and picturesqueness, and the surrounding properties are all of a high class. To any gentleman requiring a superior House Residence, near tram, in admittedly so attractive a suburb as Randwick, and to be hereafter famous for
THE CENTENNIAL PARK
(only 4 minutes' walk)
to add a further charm to the district,
ASHRIDGE is recommended for inspection daily from 2 o'clock.

TITLE, LEASEHOLD, about 95 years to run, at a ground rental of £21 only per annum.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public AUCTION, at the ROOMS, PITT-STREET, on FRIDAY, the 7th of OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above really superior residence, Randwick.
DETAIL PLAN at the Rooms. (1464)

ESTATE OF LATE MISS TULLOCH ("SCOTCH MARY").

NEAR BLACKTOWN STATION.
9 EXCELLENT BLOCKS of LAND, part of her LAIRERT MANES' ESTATE, surrounding her late residence on RICHMOND-ROAD, only an easy walk from BLACKTOWN RAILWAY STATION. They vary from 2½ acres up to 4½ acres each, and are choice sites, either for residences or cultivation of orchard or vines; the soil being most adapted for their growth.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by order of the executors, by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 7th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock.
The above lands, Blacktown, to close accounts.
The Auctioneers have pleasure in drawing the attention of all those seeking good land for any purpose of cultivation, situated in a remarkably healthy district, and being only a moderate walk from Blacktown (Junction) Railway Station.
Plan on view.
R. E. BEGG, Esq., Elizabeth-street, Solicitor for the Estate. (1435.)

OVERLOOKING A PARK,

FOR POSITIVE SALE.
2 faithfully-built HOUSES in JULIET-STREET, off ENMORE-ROAD, at Newtown tram terminus, and commanding lovely views.
They are of brick, on stone foundations, slate roofs, verandahs, and balconies in front, and each containing 4 rooms and kitchen, washhouse with copper, underground and two galvanised tanks, gas laid on, gas stove, colonial oven.
LAND 32 feet frontage, depth 90 feet.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by auction at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 7th October, at 11 o'clock.
The above well-situated freehold dwellings, overlooking a park, and only a few yards from tram terminus.
FOR ABSOLUTE SALE.
(1465) Worthy of inspection.

LAMBERTVILLE ESTATE, MACDONALDTOWN.

Lots 7, 8, and 9, of section 2, having 45 feet frontage to LAMBERT-STREET, between George and Pleasant street, with depth of 65 feet, near Erskineville-road and Railway Station.
TO BE SOLD CHEAP.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the ROOMS, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 7th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above, for positive sale, Macdonaldtown. (1462)

TO-DAY, CLAREVILLE, SANDRINGHAM.
Free tickets. Richardson and Wrench.

GOOD PROPERTIES.

LOT 1. ELIZABETH-STREET, WATERLOO.—SHOP, No. 86, nearly opposite Raglan-street, rent 20s per week. It is of brick on stone, has awning in front, and contains 6 apartments, washhouse, bathroom; stabling of wood and iron, hayloft: land 15ft. frontage, depth 112ft., extending to Beaumont-street. Leasehold, about 78 years to run; ground rent 2s 6d per week.
LOT 2. WATERLOO FREEHOLD.—TERRACE of 4 FREEHOLD HOUSES, on east side of ELIZABETH-STREET, south of Bourke-street, rental £2 6s per week. They are of brick, cemented fronts, stone foundations, verandahs and balconies in front, and each containing 4 rooms, kitchen, and washshed. Land 49½ft. frontage, depth 100ft., extending to lane.
LOT 3. WATERLOO FREEHOLD.—BLOCK of LAND, 33ft. to ELIZABETH-STREET (opposite lot 2), part fenced, and old shed thereon.
LOT 4. GLEBE.—FREEHOLD RESIDENCE in BELLEVUE-STREET, Lyndhurst College Estate, now occupied by Mr. J. Kellett. It is of brick on stone, slate roof, verandah and balcony in front, and containing hall, 3 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, bathroom, stable, cartroom, hayloft.
*** This dwelling has folding doors, gas stove, city water and gas. Land 16½ft. frontage, depth extending to lane.
LOT 5. SUMMER HILL.—Choice Site, 51ft. 3in. to SLOANE-STREET, close to Station, north side of line, depth 200ft., width at rear 100ft. There is a Workshop and 3 underground bricked Tanks upon this land; it is fenced.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 7th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above freehold and leasehold properties, in convenient and quickly reached suburbs. (1469)

CURTIS-ROAD, BALMAIN.

TWO SHOPS, two storey, of stone, each verandahs, Shop, 3 rooms, and kitchen.
TWO COTTAGES adjoining, also of stone, each 2 rooms, and kitchen.
These are very convenient to Mort's Dock and ferry at Bay. Any information may be had from Mrs. JOHNSTON, Darling-road, opposite Parker's, chemist.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 7th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above small properties, BALMAIN. (1479)

FOUR (4) ACRES
THREE (3) ACRES.

UNSURPASSABLE RESIDENCE SITES.

Fronting the famous Parramatta River,
ON THE HEIGHTS,
having road and water frontages,

HUNTER'S HILL,

commanding a panorama of views
SIMPLY ENCHANTING,
embracing many picturesque distant villages and districts in various directions, with the intervening
PARRAMATTA RIVER and HARBOUR
LANE COVE RIVER and BURN'S BAY.
The chief part of the lands is quite level from the Onions Point-road boundary, and that portion dipping gradually to the waters of Parramatta River could be very effectively terraced. They are only
10 MINUTES' WALK FROM FERRY,
at either Hunter's Hill or Woolwich Wharf, and are next to the residence of Captain Maclean, and close to that of Mr. Alderman Jeanneret, M.L.A

TORRENS' ACT TITLE.

The respective areas are:—
FOUR (4) ACRES
THREE (3 ACRES.
Both being excellent sites
SUITABLE FOR MANSIONS,
or would subdivide judiciously.

INSPECTION IS SPECIALLY INVITED.

PLAN ON VIEW.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 7th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above lands, Hunter's Hill.

TERMS: One-third cash, balance one and two years, at 6 per cent. interest. (1471.)

TO CLOSE THE ACCOUNT
of the Celebrated Brighton and Stokes Point Estates,
PITTWATER,
portions of late Rev. J. J. Therry's Grants,
viz.,
PITTWATER.
Lot 26 of 12 acres 3 roods 8 perches.
STOKES' POINT PORTION.
Lots 2 of D—2 a. 2r. 24p., facing water
Lots 4 and 11 of B—together 7a. 0r. 17p.
Lot 7 of C—3a. 2r. 9p., facing water
Lots 4 and 7 of E—together 3a. 0r. 38p.
Lots 9 and 10 of E—together 3a. 2r. 11p.
VILLAGE OF BRIGHTON.
Section 6—Lots 1 to 5, facing Careel Bay
Section 10—Lots 9 to 14, John-street
Section 2—Lots 1, 8, and 4, Patrick-street.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 7th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above residue lots at Pittwater.
PLANS ON VIEW. (1475)

OCEAN VIEW ESTATE, ROCKDALE HEIGHTS,
the choicest position and most liberal subdivision on the Illawarra Line.

Lots 9 and 10, of section 5, each 66 feet frontage to GLADSTONE-STREET, depth 200 feet.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 7th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above choice villa sites in the most highly improved suburb along the popular Illawarra line. Plan on view. Torrens' title. Terms. (1484)

IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE SARAH CLAY,

CAMBRIDGE-STREET, CITY,
a few yards from Argyle-street.

BLOCK OF VALUABLE BUILDING LAND having about 61 FEET frontage to the EAST side of CAMBRIDGE-STREET, with a depth of 40 feet on one side, upon which are FOUR HOUSES, Nos. 20, 22, 24, and 26, thereon, and also premises at the rear (the whole of the buildings are condemned).
*** This city site, from its close proximity to Circular Quay and other wharfs, must become valuable for business purposes.
IT IS FOR ABSOLUTE SALE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 7th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above city building land, handy to the CIRCULAR QUAY.

TERMS AT SALE. (1467)

MARRICKVILLE.
FOR ABSOLUTE SALE.

RESIDENCE, situate at the CORNER of FRANCIS and FLETCHER STREETS, known as ETHEL ELSIE VILLA, overlooking the WARREN ESTATE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 7th October, at 11 o'clock,
Corner allotment of land, having 37 feet 6 inches frontage to Francis-street, and about 100 feet along Fletcher-street, upon which is erected Ethel Elsie Villa, a substantially built two-story residence of brick, on stone foundation, slate and iron roof, with verandah and balcony in front, and containing hall, six rooms, kitchen, bathroom, pantry, and washhouse with copper and fixed tubs. In front of residence is neat garden plot, with iron palisading.

KEY may be obtained at Messrs. Brereton and Co.'s, tram terminus, Marrickville.

TERMS AT SALE.

OFF GEORGE-STREET WEST.

SMALL STONE COTTAGE, No. 16, HOWARD-STREET, with stabling at the rear.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 7th October, at 11 o'clock,
Land, having 36 feet frontage to Howard-street, with a depth of about 98 feet on one side and about 89 feet on the other, upon which is erected a small stone cottage, with verandah in front, and containing two rooms and weatherboard kitchen, also detached stabling at the rear of weatherboards.
TITLE, TORRENS' ACT. (1476)

STANMORE.

SHOP and DWELLING FRONTING STANMORE-ROAD, BETWEEN LIBERTY and MERCHANT STREETS.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 14th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock.
The above shop and dwelling.
Full particulars of which will shortly be published.

TERMS AT SALE. (1509)

By Order of the Trustees of Assigned Estate of Mr HUGH. ALLEN.

ENMORE.—EMILY-STREET, 2 Shops and House, built of brick, on stone foundation. The former contain each awning in front, shop, 3 rooms, kitchen, shed at rear. The land has 64 feet by a good depth, extending to a lane. The latter contains verandah and balcony, 4 rooms, kitchen, washshed, and bathroom. The land has 20 feet frontage, depth 70 feet.
Land, 70 feet x 106 feet.
Piece of Land, 52 x 95 feet, fronting a lane off Tupper-street, together with weatherboard workshop and stable.
Piece of Land, 44 x 95 feet, fronting the lane adjoining above.
TUPPER-STREET, 4 Houses, built of brick on stone foundation, with verandahs and balconies in front, and containing each 4 rooms and kitchen; land, 60 feet x 102 feet; rental £2 4s per week.
All above subject to a mortgage of £2025.

CALVERT and CAVEY STREETS, MARRICKVILLE.—2 Cottages of stone and brick, with verandah in front, and containing each 6 rooms, kitchen, and washshed; rental 14s each per week.
Subject to mortgage of £900.

RANDWICK.—St. Mark's, Glebe. Leasehold, 95 years, ground rent £6 15s per annum.
4 Houses, built of brick on stone foundation, with verandahs and balconies in front, and containing each 6 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse, small bathroom in balcony, shed at rear. The land has 50 feet to Kommis-street, depth 147 feet, extending to road at rear; rental, £3 16s per week.
Subject to mortgage of £835.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7, at 11 o'clock.
The above. Full particulars at the Rooms. (1478)

TO-DAY, CLAREVILLE, SANDRINGHAM.
Free tickets. Richardson and Wrench.

MANLY BEACH.

CHARMING RESIDENCE, "CARDOWAN," occupying a really splendid position overlooking the GOVERNMENT RESERVE and CRICKET GROUND, and adjoining the superior Residence and Grounds of S. B. BAILEY, Esq. It is built of weatherboards, on stone foundations, shingle roof, having verandah front and rear, and containing wide hall, four main rooms, bathroom, storeroom, kitchen, and washhouse, with five good bedrooms on first floor.
It is easy of access, being only 5 minutes' walk from the ferry. The LAND has a frontage of 80 feet to EAST PROMENADE, with a depth of 101 feet through to WHISTLER-STREET, to which the frontage is also 80 feet.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the ROOMS, Pitt-street, Sydney, on FRIDAY, the 14th October, at 11 o'clock.
The above splendid residence, for occupation or as an investment.
TERMS AT SALE.
Keys at the Rooms. (1478)

IN THE ESTATE LATE MRS. JOUBERT.

LANE COVE RIVER
at
FIGTREE WHARF.

1st. That Substantial, commodious, and Remarkably Well-finished COTTAGE RESIDENCE, with 2 ACRES 1 Rood and 8¼ Perches of Land, now in the Occupation of Mrs. Hughes.

2nd. COTTAGE RESIDENCE, with 2 Acres 1 Rood 11¼ Perches, adjoining Lot 1, Fronting LANE COVE RIVER, and in the occupation of Mr. Duboise.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 14th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above delightfully situated and choice suburban residences, with extensive area of grounds, only a few minutes' walk from Figtree Wharf, Lane Cove River.
Full particulars in future advertisement. Plan on view.
Messrs. ELLIS and MAKINSON, Elizabeth-street, are Solicitors of the Estate. (1488)

SPLENDID CITY BUILDING BLOCK.

To MANUFACTURERS, CAPITALISTS, PRODUCE MERCHANTS, AGENTS, and PHILANTHROPISTS.

1 ACRE 2 ROODS 17 PERCHES,

close to the very heart of the CITY. Near busy wharfs and RAILWAY at DARLING HARBOUR, with large frontages to DUNCAN-STREET, JAMES-STREET, JAMES-LANE, and entrance from SUSSEX-STREET, near to
BATHURST-STREET WEST,
being the site of the historic and long-occupied
BARKER'S MILLS,
formerly working flour as the product, and more latterly and now known as
VICAR'S TWEED FACTORY.
From the eligible situation of this block, coupled with the exceptional
LARGENESS OF THE AREA in the CITY,
only a few hundred feet from the water,
it should engage the attention of BUILDING SYNDICATES for COMMERCIAL STORE purposes and industrial capitalists, or it would prove a favourable opportunity to our wealthy colonists of acquiring a
GRAND SITE for the experiment of the erection of
MODEL ARTISAN DWELLINGS.

It will be leased for
21 YEARS' term, from 1st JANUARY, 1888
(with moderate Building Covenant),
so that the considerable capital sum of its value is not to be found and paid by a buyer, and the ANNUAL RENTAL will remain the same throughout the whole period.

TERMS.—Purchasers to bid an ANNUAL RENTAL, and also to make a cash payment of £6000, by way of bonus, viz.:—25 per cent. deposit, and the balance on execution of the LEASE.

The present buildings are extensive and varied, and the machinery therein belonging to the vendor will become the property of the buyer without extra cost.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the Trustees of the Will of the late THOMAS BARKER, Esq., to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Rooms, PITT-STREET, Sydney, on FRIDAY, 14th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The lease for 21 years of the above large
CENTRAL CITY BLOCK OF LAND. (1439)

MORTGAGEE SALE.

TO BREWERS, HOTEL PROPRIETORS, CAPITALISTS, and SPECULATORS.

VERY VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY,
at the corner of
ELIZABETH and RANDLE STREETS
(two busy thoroughfares leading to the Railway Station, Old Exhibition Building, &c., &c.),
consisting of
THE CITY VIEW HOTEL
(at the corner),
THREE HOUSES and VACANT LAND
(Elizabeth-street),
THREE HOUSES
(Randle-street).

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 14th October, at 11 o'clock,
All that
VALUABLE CORNER BLOCK of CITY LAND,
having frontages of
165 FEET to ELIZABETH-STREET
190½ FEET to RANDLE-STREET,
on portion of which are erected the above-mentioned premises, full particulars of which will shortly be published.
TITLE—Cleveland Estate leasehold, about 76 years to run, at a ground rent of only £30 per annum. (1483)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

CITY and SUBURBAN PROPERTIES.

1st. HAYMARKET.—CORNER BLOCK of Property, comprising TWO HOUSES, Nos. 58 and 60, CAMPBELL-STREET (a few yards west of Elizabeth-street); COTTAGE and TWO HOUSES, Exeter-lane; and TWO HOUSES, Nos. 13 and 15, Exeter-place. RENTAL, £4 11s per week. The land has about 27 feet frontage to CAMPBELL-STREET.
2nd. GLEBE.—TWO brick SHOPS and THREE Weatherboard HOUSES in GLEBE-STREET, off Bay-street. Rental, £3 0s 9d per week. Title leasehold, 33 years to run; ground rental, £24 per annum.
3rd. GLEBE.—TWO VILLA RESIDENCES, Arundel-terrace, overlooking University grounds. Rental, £2 15s per week. Title leasehold, 68 years to run; ground rent, £50 10s per annum.
4th. REDFERN.—Brick SHOP and Dwelling, WALKER-STREET, at the corner of PHILLIP-STREET. Rental, £1 is per week. Title leasehold, 56 years to run; ground rent, £11 16s 4d per annum.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 14th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above centrally located and centrally situated investments, full particulars of which will shortly be published.
Terms—Half cash, balance may remain at 7 per cent. per annum.

GOOD CORNER BUSINESS SITE
on
PARRAMATTA-ROAD, CAMPERDOWN.

It has FRONTAGES of 90ft. to this GREAT THOROUGHFARE, 100ft. to LYONS-ROAD, and 90ft. to BARR-STREET.

*** Frontages on this busy and valuable road are sought after for business premises. This block is a grand site for six shops.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the MAYOR of CAMPERDOWN to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 14th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above.
Well worth the attention of builders and capitalists.
Plan on view. (1493)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

CROSS ROADS, SUTTON FOREST,
near MOSS VALE.

BLOCK of LAND, in area 60 ACRES, known as WILLIAM SMITH'S GRANT, fronting the OLD ARGYLE-ROAD and adjoining MEEHAN'S FARM, in the immediate neighbourhood of other good properties.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 14th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above valuable grant, only a short distance beyond the Cross Roads, near Moss Vale.
Plan on view at the Rooms.
C. B. PITT, Esq., George-street,
(1494) Solicitor for the Mortgagee.

TO BE SOLD CHEAP,
A REDFERN FREEHOLD INVESTMENT.

TUAM and WAITUAN,
two 3-story RESIDENCES, on the east side of
CASTLEREAGH-STREET, REDFERN ESTATE,
a few yards south of Cleveland-street, close new park and Prince Alfred Park.

*** These dwellings are substantially built of brick, cemented fronts, on stone, slate roofs, verandahs and balconies in front, each containing hall and 14 rooms
The land has 35 feet frontage, depth 160 feet, extending to a lane.
Rental, £4 17s 6d per week.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 14th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above well-situated and good letting property, fronting one of the best streets in the handy and healthy suburb of Redfern. Inspection invited. Torrens' Act. Terms liberal, at Sale. (1492)

SUMMER HILL,
immediately at the Railway Station.

VALUABLE BUILDING ALLOTMENT,
No. 41, SECTION 7,
UNDERWOOD ESTATE,
South side of Railway Line, having 50 feet frontage to CARLTON CRESCENT, with a depth of 200 feet extending to Hardie-avenue.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 14th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above building site, on the south side of railway line at SUMMER HILL, a few yards west of Lackey-street.
Plan on view. (1495)

DWELLING-HOUSES, IN LOTS TO SUIT PURCHASERS.

PITT-TERRACE, HOLT-STREET, NEWTOWN,
at the corner of Station and College streets,
a little south of Enmore-road, near trams, trains, and omnibus.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 14th October, at 11 o'clock,
Block of land, 100 feet to Holt-street, 66 feet to Station-street, and 65 feet to College-street. On it are erected SIX DWELLING-HOUSES, of brick, cemented, on stone, slate roofs, verandahs and balconies in front, and each containing hall, 6 rooms, pantry, kitchen, and washhouse. City water laid on.
A capital chance for those seeking a home or an investment.
They are neatly finished and conveniently situated.
Title Torrens'. Easy terms. (1496)

TO-DAY, CLAREVILLE, SANDRINGHAM.
Free tickets. Richardson and Wrench.

IN THE ESTATE LATE JAMES FLOOD.

BALMAIN WEST.

EXTENSIVE and VALUABLE CORNER PROPERTY, having frontages to
ABATTOIR-ROAD,
GORDON STREET,
and BURT-STREET,
comprising the following, viz.:
FLOOD'S HOTEL, at the corner of Abattoir-road and Gordon-street
EIGHT COTTAGES and Valuable Block of Land fronting Gordon-street
TWO SHOPS, Two-story HOUSE, and TWO Weatherboard COTTAGES; also, VARIOUS BUILDING SITES fronting Abattoir-road
WEATHERBOARD COTTAGE fronting Burt-street.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 14th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock.
The above VALUABLE SUBDIVISION at BALMAIN, full particulars of which will appear in a future issue.
PLAN on view, and LITHOGRAPHS will be ready for distribution in a few days.
Terms at sale. (1481)

HEIGHTS OF CAMPBELLTOWN.

Comfortable Cottage and Farm of 50 acres, an easy walk from Station, known as North's, and lately occupied by Mr. Brown, close to the residence of Mrs. Woolhouse. The views are represented as excellent, embracing in their wide range Badgerly, Mount Gilead, Windmill, and the far-stretching valleys on to Denham Court, Greystanes, and Baulkham Hills.
The cottage is of weatherboard, containing verandahs, drawing and dining rooms, 2 bedrooms, &c., hall, spacious brick kitchen with range; dairy, washhouse, large outside room could be made into a capital dining-room), workman's cottage, &c.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 14th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above, recommended to any seeking either a permanent home or country retreat in a notedly healthy district, so convenient to city by frequent trains.
Plan on view.
Terms can be arranged. (1490)

BY ORDER OF MORTGAGEE.

KALULLAH, an attractive and faithfully-built
COTTAGE RESIDENCE
on
LIVERPOOL-ROAD, SUMMER HILL,
one of the
CHOICEST SPOTS
in this highly-improved and popular suburb,
and only 3 minutes' walk from the railway station.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 14th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above beautifully-situated cottage residence, close to the bridge, on Liverpool-road, Summer Hill.
Full particulars in future advertisement.
C. B. Pitt, Esq., George-street, is solicitor of the mortgagee.
Torrens' title. (1497)

PEARCE'S CORNER TOWNSHIP.

GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY.

11 MILES from St. LEONARDS. NEARER to SYDNEY than is PARRAMATTA.

The only Natural Site for a Township in the District. For Auction Sale, on the Ground, on SATURDAY, October 15, at 3 o'clock. Terms: £5 per lot deposit, balance by easy Monthly Payments.

Vendors:
THE NATIONAL BUILDING, LAND, and INVESTMENT CO., Limited.

WATKIN and WATKIN, Auctioneers.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

HOUSE, ARTHUR-STREET, ASHFIELD.

A really pleasant position—third house west of Queen-street and east of Holden-street. It is a detached neat dwelling of brick, slate roof, having verandah and balcony, hall, drawing and dining rooms (folding doors); pantry, kitchen, and washhouse, with 3 bedrooms and bathroom on first floor. Now occupied by Mr. Finlay.
Land, 22½ feet x 125 feet.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, October 21, at 11 o'clock,
The above. Recommended for inspection. (1493)

CAPITAL TERRACE, SURRY HILLS.

GOODLET-STREET, CARRINGTON-TERRACE, 4 HOUSES, faithfully built of brick on stone foundations, iron roofs, each verandah, balcony, 4 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse; rental, £156 per annum. There is vacant ground for other 3 houses to be erected. TITLE, LEASEHOLD, about 96 years to run, at £50 16s per annum for the whole; 88 feet frontage.
These are remarkably well built, never intended for sale, and are recommended as a well letting property in a convenient part, handy to city and trams, between DEVONSHIRE and CLEVELAND STREETS.
Total frontage, 58 feet, and 93 to a lane.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 21st OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above capital terrace, Surry Hills.

ON THE GROUND.

ESTATE of the LATE ROBERT HAWORTH, Esq.

GRAND ESTATE near DAPTO,
and Railway Station Site.

SPLENDID SITUATION and SOIL.

THAT HIGHLY-IMPROVED AND RENOWNED ESTATE,
KEMBLA GRANGE,
in area
487 ACRES 3 ROODS,
on the Dapto-road, about six miles from
the Town of Wollongong.

NINE FARMS, 40 ACRES to 100 ACRES EACH.
Also,
1-ACRE LOTS.
Subdivision at a proposed RAILWAY PLATFORM.

Apart from the worth of the property as a letting concern, on which there have been tenants of long standing who have worked it most successfully, it must be viewed as a
BEAUTIFUL ESTATE,
enjoying one of the most picturesque situations in this
CELEBRATED DISTRICT, noted for the
STRIKING SCENERY
which abounds therein. KEMBLA GRANGE does not suffer in this respect by any competitor. The advent of the railway into this pretty healthy district will materially serve to attract a number of our citizens to settle there, in which case values will largely enhance.

Lithos. and Plan of subdivision now preparing.
AUCTION SALE.
WEDNESDAY, 26th OCTOBER,
on the GROUND.
TERMS will be liberal.
Messrs. JONES and JONES, Pitt-street, are Solicitors of the Estate.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH,
(1384) Auctioneers.

CHOICE SUBDIVISION, STRATHFIELD,
of
that pretty cleared Paddock, viewable from the station, on the hill, on north side of line, known as belonging to Sir Daniel Cooper, Bart.,
COMMANDING EXCELLENT VIEWS
over a wide stretch of country, opposite the residences and ample grounds of Mosely Cohen, Esq., J.P., and John Williams, Esq., and embracing
TWO VALUABLE CORNERS,
and
27 CHOICE SITES,
near the neat villas of Messrs. Bull, Cowdery, Nichols, and others,
and fronting
STREET LEADING TO STATION,
COOPER-STREET (chain wide)
and
DRIVER'S-ROAD.

TERMS—10 per cent. deposit, 15 per cent. in 3 months without interest, and the balance at 1, 2, and 3 years' date, with interest at 6 per cent. per annum.

SALE ON THE GROUND
on a day in October next, due notice of which will be announced.
LITHOS. PREPARING.
(1482.) RICHARDSON and WRENCH.

WAVERLEY LAND SALE.

That DELIGHTFULLY SITUATED CORNER BLOCK LAND, in area 2 acres, having extensive frontages to
COOGEE BAY-ROAD
and
MACPHERSON-STREET,
Abutting on Clergy Daughters' School, opposite Lugar Sons, and only a few minutes' walk from Waverley tram terminus.
This elevated and choice block,
FENCED and PLANTED with PINE TREES,
is now in course of
SUBDIVISION INTO BUILDING SITES,
and will be sold on an early date, due notice of which will be announced.
EASY TERMS. LITHOS. PREPARING.
Vendors, the Trustees of St. Mary's Church, Waverley.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH (1401)

IN THE ESTATE LATE MR. CUMMINS

WOLLONGONG DISTRICT,
the garden of the colony.

That well-known and beautifully-situated Property
called
WESLEY PARK,
in area
ONE HUNDRED ACRES
of rich cabbage-tree flats and sloping hills,
distant about
5 MILES FROM WOLLONGONG,
near Mount Kembla, adjoining Berkely Estate, and close to the Wollongong-road.

*** This Choice Estate is cleared, the soil good, and the water supply never failing.
It is well adapted for subdivision into Orchard and Vineyard Blocks, or is a splendid spot for a Gentleman's Country Home, or Dairy Farm.
The position is elevated, thereby commanding uninterrupted views of the Ocean, Illawarra Lake, Tom Thumb Lagoon, &c.
It is expected that a Railway Station will be at Unanderra township—only 1½ mile off.
Coal and Shale have been found near this valuable Farm.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on an early date, due notice of which will be announced,
Wesley Park, near Wollongong, full particulars of which can be obtained on application at the Rooms of the Auctioneers; or from

Mr. JOHN SIGGAR, Auctioneer, Wollongong.
For particulars of title, apply to Messrs. ABBOTT and ALLEN, or Messrs. LAURENCE and SICH, Solicitors, Sydney. (1404)

TO-DAY, CLAREVILLE, SANDRINGHAM.
Free tickets. Richardson and Wrench.

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES UNDER THE WILL OF
THE LATE
FELIX WILSON, Esq.
TO BUILDERS, MECHANICS, RAILWAY EMPLOYERS, SPECULATORS, and CAPITALISTS.

THOSE EXTENSIVE and CONVENIENTLY-SITUATED PADDOCKS,
known as
THE PINES ESTATE,
situated at MACDONALDTOWN and NEWTOWN,
extending from
WILS

## Auction Sales.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, 1st OCTOBER.

POWLER'S ESTATE,

CAMPERDOWN, NEWTOWN,
overlooking "THE PEOPLE'S PARK."

Will be sold by auction in Subdivision, on exceptionally easy terms.

22 ALLOTMENTS front AUSTRALIA-STREET, the main road between Parramatta-road and Newtown-road.

22 ALLOTMENTS front DENISON-STREET, also a well-established thoroughfare.

11 ALLOTMENTS front ETON-STREET, at right angles to Australia and Denison streets. Size of plots, 16ft. 6in. to 19ft. frontages, with lane at rear.

TORRENS' ACT TITLE.
TORRENS' ACT TITLE.

TERMS—10 per cent. deposit, balance in five yearly payments at 6 per cent.

All good building land, in a well-established and populous branch of the city.

Convenient to city by tram or 'bus.

Plans are ready.

FOWLER'S ESTATE,
CAMPERDOWN, NEWTOWN.

Railway employees, manufacturers, mechanics, builders, and others should attend this sale, as very little land now remains unbuilt on in this locality.

SALE, THIS DAY, SATURDAY, 1st OCTOBER, at 3 o'clock.

Remember, only 2s in the £ deposit, the balance in five years' payment at 6 per cent., and Torrens' Act Title.
HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.
Messrs. JONES and JONES, Pitt-street, vendor's Solicitors.

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THIS DAY, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1.

AUSTRALIA-STREET, CAMPERDOWN.

9 GOOD BUILDING PLOTS,
fronting Australia-street,
opposite Fowler's Estate.

PLANS are ready. TORRENS' ACT TITLE.

TERMS:
10 per cent. deposit; balance by 5 yearly payments at 6 per cent.

To Mechanics, Railway Employees, Builders, and others.

This is GOOD LAND; handy to town by tram.
ATTEND THIS SALE.
The PLOTS range from 16ft. 6in. to 20ft. 7in., and have a lane at rear.

Messrs. JONES and JONES, Pitt-street, vendor's Solicitors.
HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

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BURWOOD-ROAD and SEALE-STREET, BURWOOD.
VALUABLE BLOCK OF LAND,
admirably adapted for the erection of a FIRST-CLASS FAMILY RESIDENCE, or would subdivide into 6 large ALLOTMENTS. THE TOTAL frontage to BURWOOD-ROAD is 196 feet and 305 feet to SEALE-STREET, being original allotments Nos. 1, 2, 3, 9, 10, 11, of section 2, of Seale and Ireland's subdivision. PLAN ON VIEW AT THE ROOMS. TITLE, TORRENS' ACT.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Bell's-chambers, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 12th OCTOBER, THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED BLOCK of LAND, on the heights of BURWOOD, in the immediate vicinity of the highly-improved properties of Messrs. RICHARD JONES, W. A. COTTIE, and Mrs. FORREST.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

LANE COVE.—COMFORTABLE RESIDENCE fronting NERIDAH-STREET, off Mowbray-road. built of brick, containing 4 rooms, kitchen, &c.
THE LAND has a frontage of 100 feet to NERIDAH-STREET, by a depth of 200 feet to Bertram-street at the rear, being Lots 16 and 17, Sec. 4, of the Willoughby Park Estate.
TITLE, TORRENS' ACT. Messrs. CREAGH and WILLIAMS, of Bridge-street, are the Mortgagees' Solicitors.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the mortgagees to sell by public auction, in their Rooms, Bell's-chambers, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 12th OCTOBER,
The ABOVE DESCRIBED PROPERTY.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

PITTWATER, opposite SCOTLAND ISLAND.

30 ACRES OF GOOD ARABLE LAND,
portion planted with Fruit Trees,
AT PITTWATER,
with W.B. COTTAGE, containing 6 rooms and outhouses thereon. This property, which was formerly known as Chave's, is immediately opposite SCOTLAND ISLAND.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, in the ROOMS, 133, PITT-STREET,
WEDNESDAY, 12th OCTOBER,
the above-described ORCHARD PROPERTY at PITTWATER, surrounded by the improved properties of Messrs. Willens, Wood, S. B. Bailey, Dr. Tibbitts, and others.

The attention of the public generally is particularly directed to the Sale offering great PROSPECTIVE ADVANTAGES, for besides the income to be derived from the cultivation of the land, the proposed RAILWAY to PITTWATER is surveyed close to the property, and must, if carried out, immensely enhance the value.

PENNANT HILLS.
About 1¼ mile from BEECROFT PLATFORM.

BLOCK of LAND, containing an area of 20a. 0r. 8p., situate fronting MAHER'S-ROAD, a short distance off the Pennant Hills-road, and being Lots 23 and 24, section 1, MURRAY FARM SUBDIVISION.
TITLE, FREEHOLD.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 12th OCTOBER,
The above-described farm, 10 acres of which have been under cultivation.

TWENTY MILES FROM TOWN.
TOWER BULL, CABRAMATTA.

A Building Site, containing 21a. 2r. 32p. only 30 chains from Cabramatta Railway Station, and fronting the Main Cabramatta-road.

One of the best sites in the country for a gentleman's residence, embracing as its does views of
The Town of Liverpool, the Racecourse, the National Park in the distance, the district around Campbelltown, Leppington, Mr. Harris' Property, &c., &c.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell by public auction, at their Rooms, in Pitt-street, Sydney, at 11.30 o'clock, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12,
The TOWER BULL PROPERTY, at Cabramatta Railway Station, as above-described. Plan on view.
Inspection can be made by trains leaving Sydney, 7 a.m., 9.6 a.m., 1 p.m., 4.23 p.m.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

IMPORTANT CITY PREMISES
in
KENT-STREET, close to KING-STREET,
and surrounded by the warehouse premises of Messrs. J. KEEP and SON, Messrs. FARMER and CO., and others.

THE LION STEAM FLOUR MILLS,
No. 347, KENT-STREET.

This property is substantially built of brick on stone foundations, with ornamental brick front, and comprises
SPACIOUS GROUND FLOOR,
with
THREE FLATS OVER,
each floor being specially adapted for carrying weight.

Also,
At the rear is erected a LARGE STORE, three stories high, opening on to the main building.

THE COSTLY MACHINERY (the greater portion of which is new), and complete working plant, are all modern and patented, and may be included in the sale.

The LAND has a frontage of 45 feet to KENT-STREET, by the great depth of 128 feet.
TITLE, FREEHOLD.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the Mortgagee to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, WEDNESDAY, 12th OCTOBER, unless previously disposed of privately.
The above described valuable and centrally situated premises, known as the Lion Steam Flour Mills.
Further particulars in due course.

CLIFFBROOK, COOGEE BAY.

A HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE and PICTURESQUE PROPERTY, situate in the midst of FINELY-TIMBERED GROUNDS, of about 11a. 1r. 8p. in area, possessing important frontages to BEACH and BATTERY STREETS, and sloping down to the rippling waters of GORDON BAY.

The RESIDENCE, which is massively built of stone, is approached by a carriage drive through a LODGE ENTRANCE, and commanding an easterly aspect, contains the following accommodation, all on the ground floor:—
LOFTY ENTRANCE HALL, a SPACIOUS and ELEGANT DRAWING-ROOM, handsomely decorated, and richly corniced; DINING-ROOM, BREAKFAST or MORNING ROOM. There are also three LIGHT and CHEERFUL BEDROOMS, bathroom, &c.
The DOMESTIC OFFICES comprise—PANTRY, fitted with Cupboards and Shelves; KITCHEN, with Range; SCULLERY, with Sink and Baker's Oven; Large LAUNDRY, fitted with Washtubs, Copper, &c.; TWO SERVANTS' ROOMS, Boathouse, Wood, Coal, and Ashpits.
IN THE DAYLIGHT BASEMENT,
TWO STOREROOMS, DAIRY, and WINE CELLAR.
THE STABLING DEPARTMENT
Contains THREE-STALL STABLE, COACHHOUSE, WORKSHOP, Man's Room, and Loft over, all opening on to a large-paved Stable-yard. There is also a Cowshed and a Cartshed.
The GROUNDS are of a picturesque and undulating character, and are tastefully laid out with PARTERRES and TERRACED LAWNS.

HARDIE and GORMAN are instructed to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19,
The above-described WATERSIDE RESIDENCE and GROUNDS, at COOGEE, known as CLIFFBROOK.
Plan on view.
Title, freehold. Terms liberal, at sale.

FOY'S SUBDIVISION,
BALMAIN.
REYNOLDS-STREET, WORTLEY-STREET, FOY-STREET, close to Reynolds-street Ferry.
40 splendid SITES for Business Premises and Residences.
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22.
8 COTTAGE RESIDENCES will also be SOLD.
Plans in course of preparation.
HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

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TO TRUSTEES, INVESTORS, and BUILDING SOCIETIES.

PITT-STREETS
between
KING and MARKET STREETS,

An IMPORTANT and VALUABLE FREEHOLD PROPERTY,
situate between the occupations of
Messrs. A. THOMPSON and CO., Wine and Spirit Merchants, and
The Australian Mutual Fire Insurance Company's Offices.

The LAND (lot 3, section 35, city of Sydney) has a frontage of 46ft. 10in. to Pitt-street, by the unusual depth of 155ft.

Upon which are erected the commodious Premises as follows:—
No. 134. LARGE SHOP, occupied by Mr. W. Buttel, butcher, together with extensive dwelling over and stables and coachhouse at rear.
No. 132. SHOP, occupied by Mrs. F. Gilham as a restaurant, with the dwelling over.
The SITUATION is EXCEEDINGLY UNIQUE, being in the very heart and centre of the METROPOLIS, and surrounded by MAGNIFICENT BUSINESS PREMISES.
Amongst many may be mentioned those of
MESSRS. BORDERN BROTHERS
MESSRS. HARRIS and ACKMAN
MESSRS. FARMER and CO.
HER MAJESTY'S NEW THEATRE
MESSRS. SOUL and SON
and the
FEDERAL BANK.

For particulars as to title apply
G. J. SLY, Esq., SOLICITOR, 32, YORK-STREET.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from RICHARD MEARES, Esq., to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Bell's-chambers, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, 26th OCTOBER,
THAT VALUABLE
CITY FREEHOLD,
situate in PITT-STREET, five (5) doors south of KING-STREET, Nos. 132 and 134, at present occupied by Mrs. F. Gilham and Mr. W. Buttel.

PLAN and SURVEY NOW BEING PREPARED by Messrs. DAWSON and DAWSON, Surveyors, of 88, PITT-STREET.

CLOSE TO SPRINGWOOD RAILWAY STATION.
MALVERN HILLS ESTATE,
comprising
over 400 Acres of RICH ARABLE LAND,
at present covered with
REALLY EXCELLENT TIMBER.

This PROPERTY, which has immense prospective value, is available for immediate subdivision into
ORCHARD or VINEYARD BLOCKS,
for which purpose it is admirably adapted, as proved by the vineyard adjoining of Mons. Marie, and others in close proximity.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, WEDNESDAY, 26th OCTOBER,
The above described property, close to SPRINGWOOD, known as
THE MALVERN HILLS ESTATE,
which is being brought into the market solely to close a partnership account; it is, therefore, with confidence that the Auctioneers invite the attention of speculators, syndicates, or building societies to the sale, as
THE OWNERS HAVE POSITIVELY DECIDED TO SELL.
Plan on view at the Rooms.

PRELIMINARY INTIMATION.

CABRAMATTA. CABRAMATTA.

PROUT'S GRANT,
opposite to and surrounding the G. S. R. Line.

FIRST SALE
of that WELL-POSITIONED and HIGHLY VALUABLE BUILDING ESTATE,
Surrounding the CABRAMATTA RAILWAY STATION,
known as
PROUT'S GRANT,
120 ACRES of which, immediately opposite the RAILWAY STATION,
on the northern side, are being
CLEARED and SCRUBBED for subdivision
into BLOCKS of ½ to 5 acres.

For a long time past the PROGRESS of the district has been RETARDED, owing to this large Building Estate having been LOCKED UP; but it is now our pleasure to announce that
THE PROPERTY WILL BE PLACED IN THE MARKET
for ABSOLUTE SALE in
BLOCKS TO SUIT ALL CLASSES OF BUYERS.

The Loopline from Liverpool to St. Peters will bring this property within
FOURTEEN MILES OF SYDNEY,
while the flourishing township of LIVERPOOL is but two miles distant.

The TERMS will be arranged specially easy, extending over a period of years.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to prepare for Sale,
ON AN EARLY DATE,
the above-described BUILDING ESTATE
at
CABRAMATTA,
SURROUNDING THE RAILWAY STATION.

SPECIAL TRAIN ON THE DAY OF SALE. (301)

MONDAY NEXT.

BANK
HOLIDAY.

VILLAGE
of
HOLROYD.

BOYD AND KING
will
SELL,
on the
GROUND,
at
3 p.m.

TICKETS
and
PLANS
from
BOYD and KING,
Auctioneers,
96, PITT-STREET.

UNDER THE REAL PROPERTY ACT.

FOR ABSOLUTE SALE.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8th.

ST. PETERS
ST. PETERS

COOK'S RIVER-ROAD.

BUSINESS SITES.

UNDER TORRENS' TITLE.

Adjacent to Bank, Post-office, Hotel, and Church.

With 5 minutes' walk of 2 railway stations,
2 lines of 'buses passing the property.

ELEVATED LAND,
situate on the main road, at commanding corners.

THE VERY PICK OF THE LOCALITY.

BOYD and KING have received instructions from M. METCALFE, Esq., to sell by public auction, on the Ground, without reserve,
A MOST DESIRABLE PROPERTY,
consisting of main-road business sites, in the rapidly-improving and thickly-populated district of St. Peters, being the continuation of that business centre and suburb of Newtown, on the main road leading to Sydney's popular resorts of health and recreation.

This property offers incalculable inducements to investors and business men to secure valuable building sites for shops, stores, and factories in this desirable district, in close proximity to the metropolis, and having such exceptional facilities for continuous and speedy transit.

Immense and important improvements are now being carried out at Cook's River by the Government, in making the river navigable from the Pacific Ocean via that historical harbour of Botany Bay, the placid and refreshing waters of which can be viewed from the elevated altitude of this property.

An almost magical change is apparent in this picturesque river by the construction of extensive embankments extending some thousands of feet, on which, before many months are passed, wharfs and landing, for the accommodation of shipping, will be erected, thus making Cook's River-road, thence via Newtown to Sydney, the main artery for the transit of merchandise and produce from our extensive coastal trade.

Adjacent to the property which the auctioneers are instructed to sell, will be the proposed site for a Public Park and Recreation Ground, and the dense population of St. Peters, Newtown, Cook's River, Arncliffe, Tempe, and surroundings, promise enormous scope for the development of the district for business purposes.

The enormous increase in the value of land in all parts of Newtown, and the establishment of the district on a firm and substantial basis of prosperity during the last few years, should be sufficient inducement to convince those seeking for profitable investments of the certainty of large returns to all securing real estate in this locality.

The immediate surroundings of the property are of a superior description, and the Villa Residences and mansions of Sydney merchants and business men, vastly enhance the popularity of the district and intrinsic value of freehold property in the nature of investment.

The Auctioneers' instructions are
TO SELL WITHOUT RESERVE,
on most liberal terms,
THE ABOVE VALUABLE BUSINESS SITES,
at Public Auction, on the Ground,
on SATURDAY, Oct. 8th, at 3 p.m.

Plans are in course of preparation, and may be obtained in a few days from
BOYD and KING,
Auctioneers,
96, Pitt-street,
Sydney.

FARMS. FARMS.

MOUNT PLEASANT ESTATE,
PENRITH.

ROBERT STUART has received instructions from the Trustees in the estate of the late Mrs. M. F. HOSKING to sell by public auction, at the Temperance Hall, Penrith, on SATURDAY, the 15th OCTOBER next, at half-past 3 o'clock,
13 valuable farms, on the Mount Pleasant Estate, containing from 18 to 60 acres each, several of which have frontages to the Nepean River, and the whole of which are situate within 4 miles of the Penrith Railway Station.
Parties wishing to procure snug homes within easy distance of the metropolis are specially invited to inspect the above.
TERMS, EXTREMELY EASY.

TIMBER.—Unreserved SALE This Afternoon, at 2.30, at Hudson's Kogarah. Garrard and Hamilton sell.

ONE POUND Deposit, 2s 6d weekly, for Lots, Strathfield South. Sale Saturday, Oct. 8. Garrard and Hamilton.

THIS DAY, BUILDING SITES, Fowler's Estate, Camperdown. HARDIE and GORMAN, 133, Pitt-street.

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TENNYSON,
facing the Championship Course, Parramatta River, containing 6800 feet of DEEP WATER FRONTAGES, with
NO RESERVATIONS.

The above valuable property has been suitably subdivided into most desirable VILLA SITES, with frontages varying from 60ft. to 100ft., by depths ranging up to 320ft. It is well known that at the present time it is almost impossible to purchase frontages to the harbour, and the same remark applies to nearly all the desirable points on the Parramatta River, those fortunate holders who possess them knowing too well the value of such frontages to dispose of them at any price.

The TENNYSON ESTATE, therefore, presents an opportunity perhaps never to be met again for lovers of the picturesque to secure a site which cannot be surpassed for a SUBURBAN RESIDENCE.

TENNYSON is easy of access by river, road, and rail, and the tramway to Ryde (which has been decided upon) will pass right through the property. A New Wharf has been erected at Tennyson Point, exactly between Gladesville and Putney, to and from which the Parramatta boats ply regularly from 6.30 a.m. to 11.15 p.m., and 'buses pass the Estate. Ryde railway station is within 15 minutes' walk of the Estate.
THE TITLE WILL BE TORRENS'.
TERMS—Only £5 per cent. deposit; balance by instalments to suit purchasers.

Buyers desirous of paying cash will receive a DISCOUNT of 2½ PER CENT. if paid WITHIN ONE MONTH, and those wishing to receive the convenience of DEFERRED PAYMENTS may obtain this for a period extending over TEN YEARS. Interest calculated on unpaid balances at half-yearly rests at the rate of SIX PER CENT. ONLY, and the COMPANY will make LIBERAL ADVANCES to BUILD.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES will sell the above desirable ESTATE, ON THE GROUND, TO-DAY.
Free steamers leave King-street wharf at 2.15 p.m.
Descriptive Illustrative Pamphlets, Lithographs, and Tickets can be obtained on application to the Auctioneers.
Messrs. BATT, RODD, and PURVES, 88, Pitt-street;
from the Solicitor to the Estate, F. VILLENEUVE SMITH, Esq., Beresford Chambers, 53, Castlereagh-street,
at the Parramatta Steam Company's Wharf, foot of King-street;
or from the Vendors,
THE MERCANTILE BUILDING, LAND, and INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited,
Park and Castlereagh streets.
EDWIN J. C. BRYANT, General Manager.

NEXT TUESDAY, at 11.30 a.m.

TO GENTLEMEN ABOUT TO BUILD.

GREEN'S ESTATE, PARRAMATTA.

Several of the MOST VALUABLE CORNER POSITIONS in PARRAMATTA
for ABSOLUTE SALE, by order of the EXECUTORS in the ESTATE of the late
ROBERT GREEN, Esq., of Rock Farm, near Parramatta.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES (in conjunction with Messrs. MILLS and PILE) have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 88, Pitt-street,
NEXT TUESDAY, 4th OCTOBER, at 11.30 a.m.,
LOT 1.—Fine BLOCK of BUILDING LAND, having 141 feet 10 inches frontage to ARGYLE-STREET, and 147 feet 10 inches frontage to MARSDEN-STREET.

This is a GOOD POSITION for erection of PRIVATE RESIDENCES, being opposite the RAILWAY LINE, and within 2 minutes' walk of PARRAMATTA RAILWAY STATION—a position which would always secure GOOD TENANTS for ANY HOUSES erected thereon.

LOT 3.—VALUABLE CORNER BLOCK opposite the ROSE AND CROWN HOTEL, having 54 feet frontage to PENNANT-STREET, and 97 feet frontage to SORRELL-STREET. A capital BUSINESS STAND.

LOTS 4, 5, and 6.—Three extensive VACANT BLOCKS, each having over 100 feet frontage to PENNANT-STREET, just beyond ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, by depths of from 157 to 400 feet.
Lot 4 is the corner of PENNANT and BETTS STREETS.

These are FINE BUILDING SITES, also very suitable for small GARDENS or NURSERIES, being on the MAIN ROAD to the FRUITGROWING District.

Title—FREEHOLD. EASY TERMS.

LITHOGRAPHIC PLANS on application.

Solicitor for the Estate,
E. W. ALLINGHAM, Esq., Lismore.
Agents' Solicitors,
Messrs. COPE and KING, 139, Pitt-street.

NEXT TUESDAY, at 11.30 a.m.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

NORTH SHORE, HOLTERMANN'S ESTATE.

2 Brick Cottages, HOLTERMANN-STREET, about midway, between WEST and SOPHIA STREETS, each containing 5 rooms, washhouse, verandah, half hall, &c. Rentals, 9s each per week. LAND, about 35 x 125 to a back Lane.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions from the MORTGAGEE to sell the above by public auction, at their Rooms, 88, Pitt-street, NEXT TUESDAY, October 4, at 11.30 a.m.
SOLICITORS for Mortgagee:
Messrs. STEPHEN, LAURENCE, and JAQUES, 81, Pitt-street.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 88, Pitt-street,
NEXT TUESDAY, 4th instant, at 11.30 a.m.,

PARRAMATTA—Green's Estate. For ABSOLUTE SALE, by order of the Executors of the late R. GREEN, Esq., of Parramatta.
FINE BLOCK, about 141 x 147, corner ARGYLE and MARSDEN STREETS.
Valuable BLOCK, 54 x 97, corner PENNANT and SORRELL STREETS, opposite the ROSE and CROWN HOTEL.
Three extensive BLOCKS, having frontages of from 102 to 115 feet, by depths of from 157 to 436 feet, facing PENNANT and BETTS STREETS.

ST. LEONARDS. MORTGAGEE'S SALE.—Three Brick COTTAGES, Holtermann-street, each 5 rooms, washhouse, &c.; land (lot 20, sec. 3, Holtermann's Estate), 35 x 125, with 15 feet lane at rear.

SHARES. OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE'S SALE.—25 SHARES in the MERCANTILE BUILDING, LAND, and INVESTMENT CO., 7s paid up.
(322) BATT, RODD, and PURVES.

CAPITAL SUBDIVISION BLOCKS.

SANS SOUCI and COOK'S RIVER-ROAD,

To SPECULATORS, BUILDING COMPANIES, and Others.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their ROOMS, 88, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, October 18, at 11.30 a.m.

1st. SANS SOUCI, that valuable ESTATE known as FONTAINEBLEAU, situate between SANS SOUCI and SANDRINGHAM, in the LOOP of the TRAM LINE (in fact, trams stop at NAPOLEON-STREET, about the middle of the estate), close to the HOTELS and Beach, and commanding LOVELY VIEWS.

The property offered comprises 22 LARGE SITES, varying from 66 x 165 to nearly 2 ACRES, having frontages to the waters of GEORGE'S RIVER (subject to usual Government reservation), NAPOLEON-STREET, and other good streets, as per Plan on view at the Rooms of the Auctioneers.
Title, FREEHOLD.
To be first offered as a WHOLE, and then, if not Sold, in SINGLE ALLOTMENTS.

2nd. SANS SOUCI, KOGARAH BAY....Capital Block of WATER FRONTAGE, few yards from TRAM, with RECLAMATION RIGHT SECURED, having 196 feet frontage to VISTA-STREET South, similar frontage to the waters of KOGARAH BAY, by a through depth of 215ft. on one side, and 365ft. on the other, forming Lots 1 to 3, Sec. 5, ELLESMERE ESTATE, as per plan. Title, TORRENS' ACT.

3rd. COOK'S RIVER-ROAD and UNION-STREET.—Valuable Block of nearly 1½ ACRES, having 182ft. 2in. frontage to the COOK'S RIVER-ROAD, by a side frontage of 317ft. 4in. along UNION-STREET, together with the substantial RESIDENCE on portion of the land, built of brick on stone, slated roof, and containing 8 rooms, cellars, &c., subdivided into 17 ALLOTMENTS, as per plan on view at the Rooms of the Auctioneers. Title, TORRENS' ACT.
To be offered first as a whole, and then, if not sold, in Allotments.

TERMS at sale.

FOR POSITIVE SALE. A BARGAIN.

GRANVILLE, PARRAMATTA-STREET.

Easy walk of HARRIS PARK, GRANVILLE, and MERRYLANDS STATIONS.

TWO substantial 2-storey Brick HOUSES, with iron roofs, each containing 4 rooms, kitchen, verandah, balcony, &c., U. G. tank and pump, Picket Fence, and small garden plots. Rentals, 10s each per week. Land, 31½ x 100, with side passage.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions to sell the above by public auction, at their ROOMS, 88, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 18th OCTOBER, at 11.30 a.m.

TITLE FREEHOLD. EASY TERMS.

Preliminary.

MANLY BEACH.—Close to Pier.

INGLESIDE, a pretty detached RESIDENCE, situate corner RAGLAN and KANGAROO STREETS, within 5 MINUTES walk across IVANHOE PARK of the MANLY PIER.
The Property is well-built of W. B., lathed and plastered, and contains 6 good rooms, pantry, bathroom, kitchen, laundry, &c.
LAND, 50 feet frontage to RAGLAN-STREET, by a side frontage of 128 feet along KANGAROO-STREET.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions to sell the above desirable property by public auction, at their ROOMS, 88, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 18th OCTOBER, at 11.30 a.m.

Solicitors for the Vendor:
Messrs. STEPHEN, LAURENCE, and JAQUES,
81, Pitt-street.

RANDWICK.

ETHELSTONE ESTATE.
Lot 1, Sec. 2, 44 x 130, corner PEROUSE-ROAD and FREDERICK-STREET. Title, Torrens' Act.
A CAPITAL ELEVATED BUILDING SITE, well drained, commanding GOOD VIEWS, and only a few yards from the TRAM LINE.

RIVERSTONE ESTATE.
Lot 6, sec. A, area, 1 ACRE, having 350 feet frontage to GEORGE-STREET, 132 feet frontage to KING-STREET, and a similar frontage to BOURKE-STREET. Title, Torrens' Act.

A GOOD BLOCK, close to STATION.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions to sell the above by public auction, at their ROOMS, 88, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 18th OCTOBER, at 11.30 a.m.

PLANS ON VIEW.

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By Order of the TRUSTEES of the late M. CONSETT STEPHEN, Esq.

"CINTRA,"
POTTS POINT.

To Gentlemen seeking a WATERSIDE RESIDENCE within 15 minutes' walk of the centre of the city, yet having all the advantages of a country home.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions from the TRUSTEES of the late M. CONSETT STEPHEN, Esq., to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 88, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 18th OCTOBER, at 11.30 a.m.,

That substantial commodious TOWN RESIDENCE and GROUNDS, known as
"CINTRA,"
7, WYLDE-STREET,
POTTS POINT.

Situate in the MOST SELECT PART of this FASHIONABLE LOCALITY, surrounded by the BEST RESIDENCES, occupying a nicely SHELTERED position, and commanding beautiful HARBOUR VIEWS.

The ACCOMMODATION comprises wide hall, spacious drawing and dining rooms, 7 LARGE BEDROOMS, servants' room, storerooms, kitchen, pantry, larder, washhouse, bathroom, &c., verandah back and front; OUTOFFICES, stable, coachhouse, loft, man's room, poultry-house, &c.
WATER and GAS LAID ON.

The GROUNDS are tastefully laid out, and well kept; in fact, the whole property is in FIRST-CLASS order and ready for IMMEDIATE OCCUPATION.

INSPECTION INVITED.

Solicitors for vendors:
Messrs. STEPHEN, LAURENCE, and JAQUES,
81, Pitt-street.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

By order of the TRUSTEES of the late Hon. JOHN BLAXLAND.

IMPORTANT SUBDIVISION AT
RYDE.

Adjoining the RAILWAY STATION.

The PICK of the DISTRICT.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions from the TRUSTEES in the Estate of the late Hon. JOHN BLAXLAND, to sell by public auction,
on the GROUND,
on an EARLY DATE, of which due notice will be given.

The above valuable Estate at RYDE, situate between the RYDE and KISSING POINT ROADS, and adjoining the RAILWAY STATION.

Now in course of SUBDIVISION in a most LIBERAL MANNER by Mr. Licensed Surveyor Barton into
MANSION SITES,
BUSINESS SITES,
VILLA SITES, &c.

All of GOOD DIMENSIONS, and facing WIDE STREETS.

Title, TORRENS' ACT. TERMS very LIBERAL.

Further particulars will appear in due course.

PRELIMINARY.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

VALUABLE CITY FREEHOLD.

NO. 43, KING-STREET.

An INVALUABLE OPPORTUNITY to SECURE a BLOCK of KING-STREET FRONTAGE.

TO CAPITALISTS, SPECULATORS, and OTHERS.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions from the MORTGAGEES to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 88, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 18th October, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above exceptionally valuable centrally situated CITY FREEHOLD, situate on the south side of KING-STREET, to which it has about 16 feet frontage, with a depth of about 43 feet.

On the land is erected a Brick SHOP and Dwelling, producing a net rental of £156 per annum, on a 5 YEARS' LEASE, expiring 1st April, 1889, and known as No. 43, KING-STREET.

This is an IMPORTANT and RAPIDLY IMPROVING CITY POSITION, situate only a few doors from KENT-STREET, close to CLARENCE-STREET, convenient to the WHARFS at foot of KING-STREET, handy to the MAIN THOROUGHFARE of the city (George-street), and surrounded by leading Warehouses, Stores, and other large BUSINESS PREMISES.

TITLE FREEHOLD. TERMS AT SALE.

STRATHFIELD SOUTH.

STRATHFIELD SOUTH,
on the New Tram Route,
ASHFIELD TO DRUITT TOWN.

NEXT SATURDAY, at 3 p.m.

FREE TICKETS. FREE TICKETS.

Now is the time to Buy Cheap.
Now is the time to Buy on Easy Terms.
Now is the time to Make Money.
Now just Look at the Terms.

£1 DEPOSIT
£1 DEPOSIT
£1 DEPOSIT.

2s 6d WEEKLY
2s 6d WEEKLY
2s 6d WEEKLY,

and the Vendors, The Town and Country Investment, Land, and Building Company (W. ROBSON, Esq., Manager), Bathurst and Elizabeth streets, will Lend Liberally to Build on the Estate.

LIBERAL ASSISTANCE TO BUILD.

Look how close you are to the City.
Look at the easy means of access.
Look at the big chance for you to make large profits.
Look at the LARGE SETTLEMENT round
STRATHFIELD SOUTH.
LOOK AT THE BIG FUTURE BEFORE IT.
LOOK AT THE SMALL DEPOSIT—£1.
LOOK AT THE WEEKLY PAYMENTS—2s 6d.
Look before you leap; don't undertake repayments you can never pay if hard times come.
BUT LOOK AT THE LIBERALITY OF THE VENDORS, who show it by fixing the repayments at 2s 6d weekly, so that you can always hold the land if times are ever so hard.
DON'T MAKE ANY MISTAKE.
Secure a FREE TRAIN TICKET, and buy a lot if it is cheap enough, if not you lose nothing.

PLANS and FREE TICKETS.

FREE TICKETS.

FOR SALE.
ON THE GROUND,
NEXT SATURDAY,
at 3 p.m.

From Vendors, or
GARRARD and HAMILTON,
122a, Elizabeth-street,
near King-street.

FERNBANK,
FERNBANK, MARRICKVILLE.

HIGH LAND. SPLENDID VIEWS.

CLOSE TO RAILWAY.
TRAM FRONTAGES.

AUCTION SALE ON THE GROUND,
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22nd, at 3 p.m.

The Vendors, The Haymarket Permanent Land, Building, and Investment Company (John W. Dunsbury, Esq., manager) will lend liberally to build on the Estate.

Easiest of terms—£5 deposit, and only 10s per month for every £50 owing.

Plans and full particulars from Vendors, or
GARRARD and HAMILTON,
Auctioneers,
122a, Elizabeth-street, near King-street.

PRELIMINARY.

To Trustees, Builders, Speculators, and Others.

SPLENDID RENT-PRODUCING PROPERTIES,
REDFERN.

Just Beyond the City Boundary.

IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE P. GUERIN, Esq.

WE PRITCHARD and SON have received instructions from the Trustees in the Estate of the late P. Guerin, Esq., to sell by auction, in the Federal Auction Room, on THURSDAY, October 20, 1887,
The above.

Particulars of title from F. Gannon, Esq., Solicitor, Federal-chambers; or from the Auctioneers.

GOLDWATER AND OTHERS versus TAYLOR.

BY ORDER OF THE SUPREME COURT.

SPLENDID SUBDIVISION BLOCK OF LAND,
containing seven acres two roods thirty perches, situate at the corner of
Dowling and Gipps and Hirst streets,
ARNCLIFFE.
within short distance of Arncliffe Railway Station.

FREEHOLD TITLE.

WE PRITCHARD and SON have received instructions to sell by auction (by order of the Supreme Court) at the Federal Auction Rooms, Pitt and King streets, on THURSDAY, October 20, 1887,
All that extensive Block of Land, containing seven acres two roods and thirty perches, having frontages of five chains to Dowling-street, nine chains forty-eight links to Hirst-street, two chains to Gipps-street, situate adjacent to Mr. Judd's well-known property, and close to the Railway Station and Church.

Particulars of title may be obtained from Frederick Gannon, Esq., solicitor, Federal-chambers.

Plans and further particulars at the Rooms.

ELECTRIC BELTS, world-famed (Pulvermacher's). Frost and Shipham, 476 and 387, George-st., sole agents.

THE No. 1 Basin of the Sydney Bathing Company will be opened by his Worship the Mayor THIS DAY, OCTOBER 1. See Amusement Column.

ONE POUND Deposit, 2s 6d weekly, for Lots, Strathfield South. Sale Saturday, Oct. 8. Garrard and Hamilton.

FOWLER'S ESTATE, Camperdown, THIS DAY, October 1, on the Ground, at 3 o'clock; Torrens' title; 10 per cent. deposit, balance 5 years at 6 per cent. Plans ready.
HARDIE and GORMAN.

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TORONTO ESTATE, LAKE MACQUARIE.

TO-DAY. TO-DAY. TO-DAY.

AT 3 O'CLOCK.

BUSINESS SITES, VILLA SITES, WATER FRONTAGES.

WATKIN and WATKIN will sell by auction, in the Company's Offices, 171, York-street, TO-DAY, at 3 o'clock,

TORONTO ESTATE, LAKE MACQUARIE.

TORRENS' TITLE. EASY TERMS.

ASSISTANCE TO BUILD.

LOANS FREE OF INTEREST.

MORTGAGEES' SALES.

NEXT TUESDAY, OCTOBER 4.

WATKIN and WATKIN will offer at auction, in their Rooms, 315, Pitt-street (between Bathurst and Park streets), on TUESDAY, October 4, at half-past 11 o'clock, the following properties:—

CROYDON, Irrara-street. Two brick Cottages, each containing hall, 3 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, verandahs front and back. Land 50 x 150. Torrens' title.

PADDINGTON, Dowling-street. A brick on stone House, with iron roof, and containing hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, balcony, and verandah. Land 14 x 90. Freehold title.

PETERSHAM, The Boulevard. A Cottage Villa, built of brick on stone, with slate roof, and containing 7 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, pantry, verandah back and front; on land 40 x 210. Torrens' title.

DARLINGTON, Shepherd-street. The Equity of Redemption of property known as Golden Grove Wood and Coal Yard, on land 60ft. frontage to Shepherd-street, with a depth of 150ft. 10in. on one side, and 102ft. 11in. on the other, and 47ft. 2in. to a lane.

BALMAIN, Cheltenham-street, through to Brockley-street. Two brick on stone Cottages, with iron roofs, each 3 rooms and verandah in front, city water

## Auction Sales.

TUESDAY, 4th OCTOBER,
at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

6000 BAGS and POCKETS COLONIAL and QUEENSLAND SUGARS.

(Whites, Yellows, and Browns.)

To Merchants, Wholesale Grocers, Confectioners, Shippers, Country Storekeepers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to sell the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY NEXT, 4th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock.

TERMS AT SALE.

TUESDAY, 4th OCTOBER,
at 11 o'clock a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Ex Cairnbulg, from London.

500 Boxes APOLLO SCHIEDAM CANDLES.

To Wholesale and Retail Grocers, Shippers, Dealers, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY next, 4th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

TUESDAY, 4th OCTOBER,
at 11 o'clock a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Under instructions from the Importers.

100 cases CURRANTS
35 ditto PRESERVED MEATS
200 boxes NEW ZEALAND SOAP
38 bales NEW ZEALAND HOPS
200 boxes HEUMANN'S STARCH
50 cases Lowndes's FRESH HERRINGS
100 ditto 1lb. LOBSTERS
300 boxes ELEME RAISINS
30 hogsheads MOLASSES
40 cases GOLDEN DRIPS, each 10 1-gallon tins
20 ditto ditto, 2lb. tins
100 ditto JAMS, 1lb.
25 ditto Castell and Brown's MARMALADE
50 ditto SALAD OILS, pint and half-pint
100 ditto Blair's QUART VINEGAR
20 quarter-casks ditto
100 Cases ASSORTED SAUCES
50 ditto PICKLES
30 ditto Pink's MARMALADE
20 ditto APPLE RINGS
20 ditto SAFETY MATCHES
500 ditto Louis Meeus KEY GENEVA
600 ditto Eugene de Lange BRANDY, 1 and 3 star
70 Quarter-casks BRANDY
20 ditto PORT and SHERRY.

To Wholesale and Retail Grocers, Hotel Proprietors, Country Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY Next, 4th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

TUESDAY, 4th OCTOBER,
at 11 o'clock a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

On account of whom it may concern, with all faults.

40 cases "Milkman" SWISS MILK
312 ditto "Globe" LAGER BEER, I.B., quarts, each 4 dozen
20 ditto ditto ditto, I.B., pints, each 8 dozen
1 Tank Malt.

To Grocers, Publicans, Brewers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above, BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY next, 4th October, at 11 o'clock a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

TUESDAY, 4th OCTOBER,
at 11 o'clock a.m.

IMPORTANT and ATTRACTIVE
SALE BY AUCTION
at
CLIFFBROOK,
No. 10, Craigend-street, off Upper William-street South,
DARLINGHURST.

The Whole of the
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS,
comprising
HANDSOME PIANOFORTE in polished rosewood frame, of magnificent tone, by Erard, of London
OCCASIONAL CHAIRS, in walnut and black and gold, all upholstered with horsehair, and covered with crimson satin, sage green, and crimson-figured velvet, &c.
Walnut Inlaid Card Tables, Canterbury Whatnot
MAGNIFICENT PIER GLASSES in carved gilt frames
Plush and Mirrored Wall Brackets, fitted with sconces and flower-holders
Bronze Equestrian Figures, Porcelain Vases and Jardinières
Brass and Steel Fenders, sets Fireirons
Silk Cornices, Lace Curtains
MASSIVE SIDEBOARD in oak, inlaid ebonite, bevelled plate-glass back, fitted complete
EXTENDING DINING-TABLE in oak, four spare leaves, 7 feet
DINING-ROOM SUITE in carved oak, upholstered with horse-hair, and covered with real morocco
Black Levantine Marble Clock
Doulton and Majolica Jardinières and Ornaments
Walnut Occasional Tables, corner brackets
Cliographs and Photographs, in Gilt Frames
Mahogany Cornice Pole, rings and ends
Lace Curtains, Spring Blinds and Rollers
Tapestry Carpet and Flooring Felt
HALL-STAND and CHAIRS, in carved oak
Linoleum, Stair Carpet and Rods
BLACK and BRASS FOUR-POST BEDSTEADS
Paillasses, Mattrasses, Bolsters, Pillows
THREE-WING DOME-TOP WARDROBE, in Italian Walnut, with plate glass centre door, and fitted complete
FAIR SHAPED TOILETS, in polished walnut, with marble top and back washstand, swing mirror, &c.
Double Toilet Service in porcelain, blue and gold
Pine Chests of Drawers, Cane-seated Chairs
Washstands, Toilet Glasses, Towel Rails
Cliographs, in gilt frames
Carpets, Roller Blinds, Linoleum
Kitchen and Laundry Requisites, full and complete
&c., &c., &c.

To Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Furniture Warehousemen, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have been instructed by the PROPRIETOR to sell as above BY AUCTION, at his RESIDENCE, CLIFFBROOK, No. 10, CRAIGEND-STREET, off UPPER WILLIAM-STREET SOUTH, DARLINGHURST, on

TUESDAY, 4th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

ON VIEW THIS DAY, 1st OCTOBER.

CATALOGUES may be obtained at the offices of the AUCTIONEERS.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

TUESDAY, 4th OCTOBER,
at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

CREARANCE SALE BY AUCTION
of
ENGLISH and COLONIAL MADE FURNITURE,
OVERMANTELS, MIRRORS, &c.,
including—
DRAWING-ROOM SUITES, in walnut, upholstered in figured velvet, silk, rep, silk and plush, &c.
CABINETS, in walnut and ebonite, with bevelled mirrors, &c.
Walnut, Occasional, Loo, Sutherland, and Card Tables, Work Tables
Ebonised and Walnut Occasional Chairs
WALNUT INLAID CHIFFONIERS, with marble tops
Carpet Croquet and Folding Chairs
SQUARE and ROUND WHATNOTS, Octagon Centre Tables
Gipsy Tables, Footstools, Music Canterburies
CARVED DINING-ROOM SUITES, upholstered in morocco
CEDAR DINING-TABLES, with spare leaves, &c.
Balustrade-top BOOKCASES, in polished cedar, with plateglass doors, enclosed cupboards, &c.
Hat and Umbrella Stands, in oak, walnut, and mahogany
KITCHEN TABLES and DRESSERS, CEDAR and PINE
MEAT SAFES, &c.
PEDESTAL WRITING-TABLES, in cedar, oak, and mahogany
COAL VASES, with scoops, brass-mounted
Butlers' Trays and Stands, Brackets
POLISHED BEDROOM SUITES, in ash, walnut, &c., comprising Wardrobe, Pair Toilets, Chairs, Towel-rail, and Pedestal Cupboard complete
CEDAR WARDROBES, double and single, with break fronts, &c.
PAIRS of TOILETS, in ash, walnut, &c.—Duchess, square-shaped, &c.
Marble-top Washstands, Towel Rails, Commodes
Bedroom Chairs, cane-seated
Mirrors and Overmantels, in black and gold, walnut, &c., &c.

To Furniture Warehousemen, Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing Private Buyers generally.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to arrange the above CLEARANCE SALE BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY NEXT, 4th OCTOBER, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5,
at 11 o'clock a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Under instructions from the importers.

22 Bales WRAPPING PAPERS
18 Ditto GROCER'S BAGS
5 Ditto 5-Ply ROPING TWINE
12 Ditto YARN, 11b. Hanks
11 Cases American SHOVELS
5 Ditto CARRIAGE BOLTS
13 Ditto ROLLER BLINDS
600 Dozen HORSE CLOTHS, assorted
14 Ditto TENNIS RACKETS
6 Ditto CANARY CAGES
66 Ditto Galvanized BUCKETS
6 WINNOWING MACHINES
1 Ton Black SHEET IRON, AF
80 Dozen SQUARE AXE HANDLES
95 Bradley's FORGE BACKS, assorted
94 Steel PLOUGH BREASTS
18 Bristol Wagon Co.'s HAY RAKES
48 Bags PATENT SHOT
30 Coils WIRE NETTING
51 Bales CARPET FELT.

To Ironmongers, Saddlers, Coachbuilders, Shipchandlers, Shippers, Dealers, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY next, 5th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART,
199, PITT-STREET.

TUESDAY, 4th OCTOBER,
at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

OPEN AND DISPLAYED SALE BY AUCTION
of
HIGH-CLASS BEDSTEADS
in
POLISHED BRASS,
NICKEL-PLATED and ENAMELLED COLOURS,
comprising
HAND-POLISHED HALF-TESTERS, of splendid designs, in BRASS, with 2-inch parallel posts, in various sizes, ranging from 6.6 x 5.0 to 6.6 x 3.6
SPLENDID NICKEL-MOUNTED HALF-TESTERS, extra strength, sizes 6.6 x 5.0, 6.6 x 4.6, 6.6 x 3.6
HIGHLY ORNAMENTAL FOUR-POST TUBULAR BEDSTEADS, with extended footrails and long stretchers
Ditto ditto, Embellished Gold and Floral Designs,
Enamelled Black, Mauve, Maroon, Chocolate, and other colours, H. T. and F. P. Bedsteads
Ditto, with 2-inch Taper Pillars, special quality, in Black and Gold
FOUR-POST ARTISTIC STATE BEDSTEADS, with brass head and foot rails, &c.

To Furniture Warehousemen, Bedstead Manufacturers, Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Commission Agents, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to arrange the above IMPORTANT SELECTION of BEDSTEADS for OPEN and DISPLAYED SALE BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY NEXT, 4th OCTOBER, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

On View Morning of Sale.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART,
199, PITT-STREET.

WEDNESDAY, 5th OCTOBER,
at half-past 2 o'clock in the
AFTERNOON.

UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION
of a
COMPLETE LIBRARY
(removed to the Rooms for convenience of sale),
being a most
EXTENSIVE and VALUABLE COLLECTION
of
2000 Volumes STANDARD WORKS, &c.,
in every Department of Literature and Description of Binding,
comprising
FICTION, HISTORY, TRAVELS, BIOGRAPHY, ILLUSTRATED WORKS,
and
BOOKS bound in FINE CALF, MOROCCO, &c,

Also
An Assortment
of
PROOF ENGRAVINGS, ETCHINGS, &c.,
in oak frames.

To Booksellers, Librarians, Professional Men, Collectionists, &c., &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to sell the ABOVE COLLECTION of BOOKS by AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 5th OCTOBER, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

ON VIEW MORNING OF SALE.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART,
199, PITT-STREET.

THURSDAY, 6th OCTOBER,
at 11 a.m.

Under instructions from the Consignors.

IMPORTANT TRADE SALE BY AUCTION
of
200 CASES of JAPANESE GOODS.

Ex Afghan (s.), from Kobe.

The Shipment comprises
10 Cases SATSUMA VASES
7 ditto MINIATURE FANS
12 ditto ARIMA BASKETS, in nests
10 ditto LAMPS
16 ditto SCREENS, silk and paper
6 ditto FEATHER BIRDS
3 ditto BAMBOO STICKS
5 ditto KAGA BOWLS
23 ditto B. and W. SPILLS
10 ditto HANDKERCHIEFS and GLOVE BOXES
6 ditto CABINETS, with Temple Top
5 ditto TEA SPILLS
6 ditto TEA CADDIES
10 ditto KAGA TEA SETS
4 ditto MITRE-MOUNTED CABINETS
8 ditto BRONZE WARES
5 ditto IMARI PLATES
13 ditto AWATA VASES
5 ditto BREAD TRAYS
5 ditto UMBRELLAS
6 ditto TEAPOTS
15 ditto KISHU TRAYS
6 ditto KAGA TETE-A-TETE SETS.

To Wholesale Drapers, Fancy Warehousemen, Shippers, Dealers, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions from the CONSIGNORS to sell the ABOVE SHIPMENT BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, THURSDAY next, 6th OCTOBER, at 11 a.m.

NO RESERVE.
TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART,
199, PITT-STREET.

THURSDAY, 6th OCTOBER,
at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

24 CASES MARBLE MANTELPIECES and FENDERS,
GRATES, TILES, &c.,
comprising
Carved Mantels in Statuary and Veined Marble, Sicilian Mantels; Carved Arch, Moulded Truss, Moulded Shelf, &c., &c.
Fenders in Sicilian Marble, &c.

To Marble Masons, Builders, Contractors, Gentlemen Building, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY next, 6th OCTOBER, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

FRIDAY, 7th OCTOBER,
at 11 o'clock a.m.

EXTRAORDINARY GRAND DISPLAY
and
SALE BY AUCTION
of a
SPLENDID SHIPMENT
of
20 CASES
MAGNIFICENT ARTISTIC SILVER PLATEDWARE,
Just landed, ex R.M.S. ORIZABA, from London.

THE CHOICEST PRODUCTIONS
of one of the
LEADING MANUFACTURING FIRMS in ENGLAND.

THIS EXTENSIVE SHIPMENT
embraces
NOVELTIES IN ELECTRO SILVER WARE
of the
MOST EXQUISITE FINISH
and
BEAUTIFUL DESIGN,
comprising
ARTICLES eminently suitable for Private Buyers as
MARRIAGE and BIRTHDAY GIFTS
and
COMPLIMENTARY PRESENTATIONS, &c.

THIS VERY CHOICE SELECTION
includes
ARTISTIC WRITING SETS, with Candelabra
Escritoire Nick-nacks of the most charming description
Mounted Table Gongs, in bizarre styles
Porte Cigare Cabinets, in various designs
Card Trays and Receivers in patent Pelican Ware
Richly Chased and Gilt, Plain, and Embossed TUREENS
Elegant STRAWBERRY and CREAM DISHES
Handsome BUTTER COOLERS and SUGAR BOWLS
Very Beautiful Chased TEA and COFFEE SETS
Matchless Chased and Embossed SALVERS and WAITERS
Chased and Treble Plated CAKE BASKETS, Sugar Sifters
Splendid ENTREE and BUFFET DISHES, in Sets
Very Choice and Elegantly Embossed FRUIT DISHES
ARTISTIC GOBLETS, Loving Cups, Bourgeoirs, Flambeaux
Charming TRINKET BOXES and JEWEL CASES in niello, plain chased and gilt
Splendidly Finished Menu Holders
Large and small BREAKFAST and DINNER CRUETS of the very latest fashion
Remarkably Handsome LIQUER and SPIRIT FRAMES, with Elegant Cut Crystal Bottles
Very Tasteful CARD RECEIVERS and TAZZAS, Trays and Baskets
Fitted Cases of SALTS and SPOONS, Fruit Spoons
Novelties in Napkin Rings and Porte Bouquets
Sardinières, Marmalade and Jam Dishes
Ornamental Plateaux, Jardinières
Muffineers, Flask and Sandwich Cases
Salad and Tart Servers, Sauce Frames and Bottles
S. and B. Frames, Bottle Stands, Soup Plates
Luncheon Stands, Vegetable Dishes, Hot Water Kettles
Ivory-handled Dessert Sets (in case), Table Spoons and Forks
Cigar Stands and Ash Trays, Knife Rests, Dessert Spoons
E. P. Mounted Cocks, and Screw Bottle Tops
Claret Jugs, Tankards, Flagons, Dutch Bottles
Egg and Tea Spoons, Egg Frames, Cheese and Crumb Scoops
Toast Racks, Tea Bells, Letter Weights, Tea Caddies, Tobacco Jars
Oil and Vinegar frames, Brandy Warmers, Teapot Stands
Ice Pails, Wine Coolers, Epergnes, Biscuit Barrels
Toddy Kettles, Wine Taps, Fusee Boxes, Peppers, Mustards.
&c., &c., &c.

To Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Silversmiths, Jewellers, Furnishing Ironmongers, Art Repositories, Fancy Warehousemen, Commission Agents, Dealers, Private Buyers generally, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN are in receipt of instructions from the CONSIGNEES to arrange the above for SALE BY AUCTION, on FRIDAY NEXT, 7th October, at 11 o'clock, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.
The above SPLENDID SHIPMENT of ELECTRO-SILVER WARE.

On View, Thursday and Morning of Sale.

DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUES are in course of preparation, and will be obtainable at the OFFICES of the AUCTIONEERS.

TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, BUILDING SITES, Fowler's Estate, Camperdown. HARDIE and GORMAN, 188, Pitt-street.

ONE POUND Deposit, 2s 6d weekly, for Lots, Strathfield South. Sale Saturday, Oct. 8. Garrard and Hamilton

WEDNESDAY, 5th OCTOBER,
at 11 o'clock.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Under instructions from the Consignees.

35 Cases AUSTRIAN BENTWOOD FURNITURE.

To Furniture Warehousemen, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY next, 5th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, 5th OCTOBER,
at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Ex DUMFRIESSHIRE, from London.

64 Cases IRON BEDSTEADS, &c.
comprising—
FOUR-POST, 1-inch, 6-6 x 2-6; ditto 6-6 x 3, 6-6 x 4-6
PILLAR and TUBULAR FOUR-POST, 2-inch, 6-6 x 4-6, ornamental and gilt, with L. S. bar and extended footrail
HALF-TESTER TUBULARS, 2-inch, 6-6 x 4-6, extending footrail, L. S. bar
Ditto, 2-inch, 6-6 x 4-6, not extended
HALF-TESTERS, ornamental, 2-inch, 6-6 x 3
Ditto, 2-inch, 6-6 x 3-6, 6-6 x 3, assorted colours
Ditto, 1-inch, 6-6 x 4-6, L. S. bar
Ditto, 1-inch, 6-6 x 3, 6-6 x 4-6, L. S. bar
Ditto, 1-inch, 6-6 x 4-6, ditto L. S. bar
FRENCH BEDSTEADS, 6-6 x 4-6
COTS, four-post and half-tester, 4 x 2, 4-6 x 2-6, 5 x 2
Stump, 6-6 x 2-6, 6-6 x 3, 5-6 x 4, &c.

To Furniture Warehousemen, Bedstead Manufacturers, Storekeepers, Shippers, Commission Agents, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to sell the ABOVE BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 5th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock.

TERMS AT SALE.

163 ACRES 0 ROODS 35 PERCHES,
NARRABEEN.
Insolvent Estate of Herr KRETSCHMANN.
FOR POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE,
as the account must be closed.

THURSDAY, October 6th, at 11.30,
in the Rooms of Messrs. Withers and Callaghan, 136, Pitt-street.

By order of the Official Assignee.
163 ACRES 0 ROODS 35 PERCHES,
NARRABEEN.

C. F. W. LLOYD and CO. will sell by auction, on THURSDAY next, at 11.30, in the Rooms, 136, Pitt-street,

The above described block of land.
Plan at the Office, Minerva-chambers, 126, Pitt-street.

Insolvent Estate of ALEXANDER MORGAN, of 90, Stephen-street, Camperdown.

THURSDAY, October 6th, at 11.30 a.m.,
in the Rooms of Messrs. Withers and Callaghan, 136, Pitt-street.

By order of the Official Assignee.

The Official Assignee's RIGHT, TITLE, and INTEREST (if any) in and to a BLOCK of LAND 52 x 80, with COTTAGE thereon, situate number 30, Stephen-street, Camperdown.

C. F. W. LLOYD and CO. will sell by auction as above on THURSDAY next, without reserve.

Terms, cash.

Particulars at the Office, Minerva-chambers, 126, Pitt-street.

ESTATE of PHILLIP R. HOLDSWORTH, of Royal Arcade, Pitt-street.
FRIDAY Next, at 11 a.m.
On the Premises, Royal Arcade, Pitt-street.
By Order of the Official Assignee.
OFFICE FURNITURE
TABLES, DESKS, CHAIRS
LARGE IRON SAFE, &c.

C. F. W. LLOYD and CO. will sell by auction, as above, without reserve.
Terms, cash.

INSOLVENT ESTATE of ALEXANDER MORGAN, of 90, Stephen-street, Camperdown.

FRIDAY NEXT, at 11.30 a.m.
On the Premises, 90, Stephen-street, Camperdown.
By Order of the Official Assignee.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.

C. F. W. LLOYD and CO. will sell by auction, as above, without reserve.
At 11.30.
Terms, cash.

UNCLAIMED GOODS.

IMPERATIVE SALE BY AUCTION,
at the
AUSTRALIAN AUCTION ROOMS, SPRING-STREET,
on
THURSDAY, October 6th, at 11 a.m.,
of
UNCLAIMED GOODS,
by ORDER of the POSTMASTER-GENERAL,
viz.:—
JEWELLERY,
and a
LARGE NUMBER of ARTICLES of ALMOST ENDLESS VARIETY.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions from the Postmaster-General to sell by auction, at the Australian Auction Rooms, Spring-street, on THURSDAY, October 6th, at 11 a.m.,
UNCLAIMED GOODS.

HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE and IMPORTANT SALE
by
PUBLIC AUCTION,
at the Residence of PRIOR MOORE, Esq., IFFLEY, Livingstone-road, Marrickville, opposite
GRAHAM'S NURSERY,
FIVE MINUTES' WALK from TRAM TERMINUS,
on WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5, at 11 a.m.,
of the
WHOLE OF THE SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,
GLASS, CHINA, and ELECTRO-PLATED WARE
Massive MAHOGANY DINING-ROOM FURNITURE
Elegant DRAWING-ROOM FURNITURE
Costly and Very Valuable VASES, CLOISONNE WARE, &c.
SWEET-TONED WALNUT PIANOFORTE
SPLENDID WILTON PILE CARPETS
Magnificent ASH and WALNUT BEDROOM SUITE
Half-tester BEDSTEADS, Nickel Silver Mounts, and BEDDING, BEST QUALITY
SINGLE-SEAT HOODED BUGGY
SET SILVER-MOUNTED HARNESS.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been favoured with instructions from Prior Moore, Esq., to sell by auction, at his residence, Iffley, Livingstone-road, Marrickville, on WEDNESDAY, October 5, at 11 a.m.,
The whole of his Superior HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
HOODED BUGGY and HARNESS.

HOUSE TO BE LET. Apply on the Premises.

ON VIEW on Tuesday, 4th inst., from 9 a.m. to 3.30 p.m.

CHOICE PICTURES.

A CONNOISSEUR'S SELECT COLLECTION
of
VALUABLE WATER-COLOURS, EXQUISITE PAINTINGS
on
IVORY and PORCELAIN,
comprising
32 GEMS
by
J. SKINNER PROUT, GULLY, BOULTON, HERN, MONTAGUE, WHITLEY, Mrs. ROWEN, POWNALL, COOPER, THOMAS, ALLPORT, and others.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions from a connoisseur to sell by auction, at the Australian Auction Rooms, Spring-street, on FRIDAY, 7th October, at 2.30 p.m.,
HIS SELECT LITTLE GALLERY OF GEMS.

*** CATALOGUES WILL BE DULY PREPARED.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED DRAPERY SALE.

To close accounts for retiring Consignees.

NEXT TUESDAY, at 11 sharp.

An Opportunity for Town and Country Buyers.

GREY CALICOS and SHEETINGS
ROUGH BROWN and CREAM HOLLANDS
COTTON SHIRTS, FLANNEL SHIRTS
CRICKETING FLANNELS, SHIRTINGS
SUPER LINEN DIAPERS, invoiced 1s to 1s 5d
COTTON and MERINO HOSIERY, HATS
STAYS and UNDERCLOTHING, CAMBRIC HANDKERCHIEFS
DRESS GOODS, SILK and ORIENTAL LACES
500 Pieces PRINTS and SATEENS
1500 Dozen BROCADE and CAMBRIC HANDKERCHIEFS
TWEEDS, DOWLAS, TICKS, CANVAS
&c., &c.

KELLETT and ALFORD have instructions from the consignees, who have resolved to give up consignments, to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 14, Barrack-street, next TUESDAY, at 11 sharp,
£3000 worth valuable goods.
Without reserve.

TIMBER. TIMBER.

UNRESERVED SALE.

KOGARAH.

GARRARD and HAMILTON have received instructions (in consequence of Mr. Hudson relinquishing business at Kogarah) to sell by public auction at Hudson's Timber Yard,
THIS AFTERNOON, at 2.30 p.m.,
near Kogarah station,
The whole of his
GENERAL STOCK,
consisting of—
10,000 feet 6 x 2½ hardwood
8,000 feet 4 x 2½ ditto
10,000 feet 6 x 3 ditto
8,000 feet 5 x 3 ditto
12,000 feet 8 x 3 ditto
4, 5, and 6 inch redwood
Architraves, band mouldings, and angle beads
6 to 12 inch redwood skirting
300 sheets 5 to 10 feet galvanized iron
Oregon floor boards, T. and G.
Sashes, doors, paints, &c., &c.
Oregon and pine battens
Horses, carts, village cart, &c.

THE WHOLE
for
UNRESERVED SALE.
Terms, Cash.

GARRARD and HAMILTON,
Auctioneers,
193a, Elizabeth-street, near King-street.

On TUESDAY NEXT, 4th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp.

To Furnishing and General Ironmongers, Fancy Goods Warehousemen, Dealers, &c.

ENTIRELY UNRESERVED SALE
of
GENERAL IRONMONGERY, HARDWARE,
B.M. TEAPOTS, CASHBOXES
MOSELEY'S TABLE CUTLERY, POCKET CUTLERY
GALVANISED TUBS and BUCKETS, HOLLOWARE
SEAMING and COUNTER TWINES, BROWN PAPER
&c. &c.

Just Landed, ex Recent Arrivals.

WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed by the Shippers to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 128, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY next, 4th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,
An extensive consignment of the above Goods.

NO RESERVE.
TERMS AT SALE.

On WEDNESDAY NEXT, 5th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp.

To Wholesale and Retail Jewellers, Diamond Buyers, Silversmiths, &c.

A VERY CHOICE CONSIGNMENT
of
MAGNIFICENT DIAMOND GOODS
LADIES' and GENT.'S RINGS, in Single Stones and Cluster
EARRINGS, &c.
GOLD and SILVER JEWELLERY, in Newest Designs
GOLD and SILVER WATCHES, in Rotherham, Waltham, &c.

JUST LANDED, ex MAIL STEAMER CLYDE.

ALL WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed by those concerned to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 128, Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 5th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,
Magnificent collection of the above.

NO RESERVE.

On View on Tuesday Afternoon.

TERMS AT SALE.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

On THURSDAY NEXT, 6th Instant, at 11 o'clock sharp.

To WAREHOUSEMEN, DRAPERS, LINEN MERCHANTS, &c.

An EXTENSIVE CONSIGNMENT
of
GENERAL DRAPERY,
in
CREWDSON'S LONGCLOTHS, FINLAY'S SHEETINGS
IRISH LINEN, DIAPERS, CRUMB CLOTHS
WHITE and BROWN TURKISH TOWELS, HUCK
TOILET and H. C. QUILTS and COVERS
LACE CURTAINS, SPRING PRINTS
WOMEN'S, MEN'S, and CHILDREN'S HOSIERY
&c., &c.

Just Landed, ex Steamer Clyde.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed by the shippers to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 128, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY NEXT, 6th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,
The first consignment of spring goods.

For UNRESERVED SALE.

TERMS AT SALE.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE
TO PIANO WAREHOUSEMEN, FURNISHERS, DEALERS, &c.

A LARGE CONSIGNMENT
of
WALNUT and BLACK and GOLD PIANOS,
by
WELL-KNOWN MAKERS.

NOW LANDING.

FOR UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE
on
FRIDAY NEXT, 7th instant,
at 11 o'clock sharp.

CHAS. MOORE and CO.,
Auctioneers,
128, Pitt-street.

Full particulars on Wednesday next.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 4th, at 11 a.m.

Insolvent Estate of Fred. Fountain.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.
HORSE, CART, and HARNESS.

B. R. HARRIS and CO. have received instructions from Augustus Morris, Esq., Official Assignee, to sell the above by auction, at the Rooms, 143, Pitt-street, TUESDAY, October 4, at 11 a.m.
WITHOUT RESERVE.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5th, at 11 a.m.

Insolvent Estate of Alex. Frew, Tailor.

The whole of the Stock-in-Trade,
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WITHOUT RESERVE.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6th, at 11 a.m.

INSOLVENT ESTATE of CHAS. WM. HARVEY, Watchmaker and Jewellery.

GOLD and SILVER JEWELLERY, WATCHES, &c.
GOLD BROOCHES, PINS, RINGS, PENDANTS
SILVER WATCHES, GENEVAS, LEVERS, &c.

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WITHOUT RESERVE.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7th, at 12 o'clock.

At the residence of the late
Hon. E. K. COX,
FERN HILL, MULGOA, PENRITH.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS,
comprising
DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, CARPETS, CURTAINS
PICTURES, SIDEBOARD, GLASSWARE, CUTLERY
FENDER and IRONS, ORNAMENTS, CUPBOARDS
BEDROOM FURNITURE, KITCHEN and LAUNDRY UTENSILS. Also,
MAGNIFICENT CROP OF ORANGES AND LEMONS.

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WITHOUT RESERVE.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8, at 11 a.m.

Under instructions from W. A. CROWE, Esq.

CHOICE COLLECTION OF CANARIES.

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Compulsory and unreserved Sale of the balance of an insolvent's stock of FANCY GOODS and SUPERIOR FURNITURE,
by order of the Trustees' Agent,
and comprising
Upholstered Austrian Suite, Couches, Chairs, Chiffoniers, Duchess Toilets, Chests Drawers, Half-tester Beds and Bedding, new Blankets, 36 Buckets, Tubs, Pictures, and a lot of Fancy Goods and sundries.
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A large quantity of elegant and useful
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HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS of a 4-roomed house.
No Reserve.

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FAT CATTLE and SHEEP.
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PITT, SON, and BADGERY will sell by auction, as above.
70 prime cattle, for Mr. Thos. Rutledge
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A.M.Z.—The College, Upper Paddington. Next term October 5. Principal, Miss Stowe-Martin.

ANNANDALE SCHOOL, Sarsfield, Johnston-st.—Next Term will begin on Tuesday, Oct. 4. Dancing, Wednesdays.

AS MONDAY next will be a Holiday, BOYLE'S CLASSES will not meet at Bruce and Massey's, Pitt-street.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC, Trafalgar-terrace, Petersham.—Mr. T. SHARP receives or visits pupils in Sydney and principal suburbs for piano, organ, violin, singing, &c. New quarter commences THIS DAY. Paling's, or as above.

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Mrs. and Miss ROSS.
Work resumed Tuesday, 4th October.

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The FOURTH QUARTER of the Classes under the Board will commence next TUESDAY, October 4th.
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COTTAGE, 3 rooms, kitchen, one minute station, 11s
COTTAGE, 4 rooms, kitchen, land 50 x 150, 16s
HOUSE, nicely situated, 6 rooms, 25s
Large Detached VILLA, plenty of land, 2 minutes station, £96.
Apply COLLINS' AGENCY, at Summer Hill Station.

SUMMER HILL.—HOUSE to LET, BARGAIN, 2-stories, good order, corner Herbert and Henson streets, five rooms, kitchen, washhouse, gas, water, garden back and front, outhouses, large balcony, splendid view; present tenant rented it for a term cheap for a family who has left district, and desires to RE-LET for balance term less than costs him—15s per week, including taxes. Key next door.

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TO AUCTIONEERS.—To LET, Newtown, ROOMS, good position. H. Vaughan and Son, 142, King-street.

TO BE LET, OFFICES and STORES, at the rear of 111, Pitt-street. Apply to Dalton Bros., Pitt-street.

TO DRESSMAKERS.—To LET Suite ROOMS over shop, 30, Hunter-st., between Pitt and Castlereagh sts.

TO LET, at Woolwich, close to ferry, 4-roomed COTTAGE, low rent. Apply 29, Pitt-street.

TO LET, a HOUSE or part of one furnished. 90, Miller-st., Lavender Bay, North Shore.

TO LET, HOUSE, 4 rooms, kitchen, rent 13s. Apply 51, Wilton-street, off Devonshire-street.

TO LET, SHOP, &c., best stand suit jeweller and watchmaker. 462, Elizabeth-st. Apply Strawb.-hill bakery.

TO LET, two first-class SHOPS, Henderson-road; low rental. Setchell and Sons, builders, Raglan-st., Alexandria.

TO LET, two large well-lighted ROOMS, very suitable for billiards; also OFFICE. Apply Compagnoni's.

TO LET, 5-roomed COTTAGE, 2-stall stable, yard, 14s. E. Rutland, Elizabeth-st., Zetland Estate, Waterloo

TO LET, a SHOP and Dwelling, opposite Cervetto's Hotel, Liverpool-road, Burwood; 15s per week.

TO LET, HOUSE, 5 rooms, &c., by tram junction, Woollahra. Bogg-street Post Office, Paddington.

TO LET, Darling-street, Balmain, 7-roomed HOUSE, near School of Arts. Key, Edith Villa.

TO LET, 5-roomed HOUSE, balcony, kitchen, and copper, Riverview. Apply Lambert Brothers, Gladesville.

TO LET, 25, Lower Fort-street, harbour view back and front. Apply on premises; or T. R. Linsley.

TO LET, SHOP, 72, Pitt-street, Redfern. J. Hamilton, chemist, Regent-

## Funerals.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. CARL LANTZIUS BENINGA are informed that the Funeral of his late beloved infant DAUGHTER, Ottilie Stephania Agnes, will leave his residence, 4, Harbour View-terrace, Edward-street, Balmain East, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 1 o'clock, for Rockwood Cemetery. WOOD and CO., Undertakers, Sydney and Balmain.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. JAMES HEAVEY are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late dearly beloved Infant SON, Peter; to move from his residence, 23, Castlereagh-street, Redfern, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock. WOOD and CO., Undertakers, 799, George-st.; 338 Darling-street, Balmain; and Petersham.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. JOSEPH M'KENNA are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved WIFE, Emily Florence; to move from his residence, 23, Foster-street, Surry Hills, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 2, for Necropolis. WALTER STEWART, Undertaker, Bathurst-street.

THE FRIENDS of MARY MITCHELL are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of her beloved SISTER-IN-LAW, Emily Florence M'Kenna; to move from her residence, 23, Foster-street, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 2, for Necropolis. WALTER STEWART, Undertaker, Bathurst-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mrs. MARY FRIEND are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of her beloved DAUGHTER, Mary; to move from her residence, 56, Alma-street, Darlington, TO-MORROW (Sunday) AFTERNOON, at quarter to 3 sharp, to proceed to Balmain Cemetery. J. JOHN and GEORGE SHYING, Undertakers, 176, George-street West.

THE FRIENDS of Messrs. SYDNEY, CHARLES, and GEORGE FRIEND are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved SISTER, Mary Friend; to move from her mother's residence, 56, Alma-street, Darlington, TO-MORROW (Sunday) AFTERNOON, at quarter to 3 sharp, to proceed to Balmain Cemetery. J. JOHN G. SHYING, undertakers.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. ALFRED WILLIAM AYLETT are invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, 54, Riley-street, Woolloomooloo, TO-MORROW (Sunday) MORNING, at half-past 8 o'clock, to Waverley Cemetery. CHARLES KINSELA, 118, Oxford-street, near Crown-street.

## Personal.

A. C. WENTWORTH, Sydney.—A letter from Scotland lies at Post Office.

BURNS, Artist (late Goscher and Burns),—Communicate Alf. Williams, care Moss, W. Maitland; adv'tgeous.

HUGH SMITH, Elizabeth-street.—Call on Mason Bros., Limited, at once. Important.

JOHN SMITH, of Bolton, Lancashire, last heard of in Newcastle, N. S. W., some 3 years ago. Important news from his Brother in Farnworth; or any one knowing of his whereabouts kindly communicate with John Makin, Andrea-street, Petersham, Sydney.

MELBOURNE.—Wright's Inquiry Office, 47, Queen-st. Estab. 20 years. Strictly confidential. Exper. officers.

MR. TAYLOR, Contractor, late Forest Lodge, call 163, Bowling-street; old friend.

MISSING FRIENDS.

Anyone knowing present addresses of undermentioned kindly send to Mr. JOHNSON, Box 447, General Post Office:—
Kerby, Miss, Malakoff Towers, Marrickville
Tonkins, F., Gosford
O'Riordan, J., Charing Cross Hotel, Waverley
Violer, J., Nowra
Spain, W., ditto
Robertson, W., ditto
Godbold, W. H., Gunnedah
Hough, J. J., Dimarra, arrived City of Grafton
Ryan, J. T., Burrowa.

NOT going to Melbourne this week. Sorry not to see you before Monday. A. H.

NO. 40.—Just heard of illness. May I call? If so, send time and date.

NEXT OF KIN,
MISSING FRIENDS,
UNCLAIMED MONEY.
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SPECIAL NOTICE.

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RANDWICK.—WRITE to Lydia, General Post Office, Sydney, Lyd.

ROBERT JOSEPH GATENBY,—Call at once, cab waiting for you same place. A. Hudson.

WOULD EDWIN BEAL call on undersigned at once. A. Duncan, Turf Club Hotel, Castlereagh-street.

## Lost and Found.

CAUTION.—LOST, CHEQUE, £5, by Way and Way, Solicitors, favour Annie Reid.

LOST, in Manly, small Gold BROOCH (horseshoe and whip). Reward on leaving it at Mr. Gorman's fruit shop.

LOST, between Waverley and Double Bay, small Bunch KEYS. Reward, Post-office, Ocean-st., Double Bay.

LOST, in Pitt or King street, Pair SPECTACLES, in case. Reward, Sidney Cohen, George-street.

LOST, Gold BANGLE, horseshoe and jockey's cap, diamonds and rubies. Reward 40l, Dowling-st., Moore Park.

LOST, Friday, 23rd, grey Horse, saddle and bridle, Dowling-st., 1W ¾ off shoulder. £3 reward. 42, Botany-st., S. H.

LOST, Gold WATCH (Rotherham's). Reward. H. Carruthers, St. John's-road, below Ross-street, Forest Lodge

LOST, White Fox TERRIER, one lemon ear. Reward, J. B. C. Miles, Ambleside, Queen-street, Ashfield.

LOST, brown HORSE, long tail, branded ⁰⁸E near shoulder. 20s reward. G. W. Langford, 28, Surry-st., Dart.

LOST, ENVELOPE, addressed R. Hampson, containing £4 16s. Reward, 1, Reserve View-ter., Suth'd-st., Pad.

LOST, Gold COMPASS, with cameo pendant, nr. King-street. Reward, Woodin and Robberds, 134, Pitt-street.

LOST, Fox-Terrier SLUT. Reward if returned to 3, Foveaux-street, S. H. Detainer prosecuted.

LOST, on 21st Sept., at the Exhibition-building, white ostrich feather FAN. Reward L. Robertson's, 85, Pitt-st.

LOST, DEEDS of Cottage, 554, Bourke-street, Surry Hills, late Mr. Woodman. Two pounds reward. W. A. Thompson, College Hotel, Francis-street, near Hyde Park.

LOST, £37, in Union Bank notes, numbers known. Reward. Apply S. NASMITH, Bank of New South Wales.

LOST in 4.12 train from Liverpool, or at Redfern Station, on Thursday afternoon, PURSE, containing two sovereigns, small knife, &c. Reward on returning same to R. Iredale, 140, Oxford-street.

LOST, a Sealskin HANDBAG, containing money, visiting-card, plate, &c. supposed to have been left in Glebe and Circular Quay omnibus. Finder will be handsomely rewarded on leaving it with Mr. Jones, North Shore Ferry.

LOST, SCRIP for 10 Shares, 3137-3146 on S. and M. P. B. and L. Association, 126, Pitt-street. Reward on delivery to W. I. B. Mote, Crown-street. The public are cautioned against negotiating same.

LOST, a Five-shilling piece BROOCH, with 5 initials on front, between the 'bus stand and tram terminus, Ocean-street, Woollahra. A reward on returning it to Rosemont, Ocean-street, Woollahra. No use to any one but the owner.

LOST, on Wednesday, from Longueville Wharf, brown and white Spaniel PUP. Reward on returning to W. O. Allan, Longueville, or C. E. Fuller and Co., George-street, Sydney.

LOST, about the 30th May last, while travelling by express from Sydney to Melbourne, a Tin HAT-BOX, containing bank deposit receipts, wearing apparel, and other valuable documents, gold chain and cross and a cashbox, addressed "Miss A. Brown, Melbourne." Finder will be handsomely rewarded. Miss M. Smith, care of H. S. Roberts, Adelaide Exhibition.

TEN SHILLINGS REWARD.—Lost, Collie DOG. F. M'Mahon, 648, George-street, Brickfield-hill.

TWO POUNDS REWARD.—LOST, at Manly, a Leather PURSE, containing bank draft and return tickets. Above reward paid by returning same to Mr. Fisher, Mrs. Grogan's, 219, Macquarie-street North. Payment stopped.

GAME COCK Strayed into my place. Owner can have the same by paying expenses. T. BURSILL, Charing-cross, Waverley.

## Coal, Firewood, &c.

COAL.

The NEW SOUTH WALES SHALE and OIL COMPANY are now selling LARGE COAL from their Hartley Vale Colliery at 5s (five shillings) per ton in trucks, at pit's mouth.

Brickmakers, coal merchants, and others will derive considerable benefit in purchasing this coal, as it is cheaper, and the freights are less, than those from other Western Collieries.

Further particulars at HEAD OFFICE, 102, Clarence-street; or from the agents, G. ROBERTSON and CO., Bathurst-street, and W. RICHARDSON, Young-street, Annandale.

FOWLER'S ESTATE, Camperdown, THIS DAY, October 1, on the Ground, at 3 o'clock: Torrens' title; 10 per cent. deposit, balance 3 years at 6 per cent. Plans ready. HARDIE and GORMAN.

## Shipping.

THE WATSON'S BAY AND SOUTH SHORE STEAM FERRY COMPANY.

No. 3 JETTY, CIRCULAR QUAY.

The Company's Steamers are available on the shortest notice for Picnic Parties, Harbour Excursions, &c.

TIME TABLE FOR WATSON'S BAY:
FROM SYDNEY: 6.45 a.m., 9.20, 10.30, 11.30; 12.30 p.m., 1.30, 2.30, 3.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.
FROM WATSON'S BAY: 8.15 a.m., 9.35, 11.45; 12.30 p.m., 1, 2.10, 3, 4, 5, 5.45, 6.30.

Late Trips from Sydney to Watson's Bay: Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, 9 p.m.; Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, 11.30 p.m.

Leaving Watson's, for Sydney: Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, 9.45 p.m.; Tuesdays and Thursdays, 12 midnight.

Sunday trips as usual.

TIME TABLE FOR SOUTH SHORE:
From Sydney: 6.30 a.m., 9, 10.5; 1 p.m. (1.10 p.m. on Saturdays), 2.30, 4.15, 5.30.
From Rose Bay: 6.15 a.m., 9.20, 10.40; 1.45 p.m., 3.15, 4.50, 5.50, calling at intermediate wharfs each way.
SUNDAYS.—From Sydney: 8 a.m., 10.45; 12.40 p.m., 3.45, 4.15. From Rose Bay: 10 a.m., 11.30; 1.15 p.m., 3.30, 5.15.

CROWDER BAY.
EVERY SUNDAY.

Reduced Fares. 5d each way. The fast steamer Courier, and others, leave the Floating Jetty, foot of Phillip-street, Circular Quay, 7.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, 2.30, and 3 p.m., calling at Woolloomooloo Bay.

CROWDER BAY.

Steamer COURIER daily, from Floating Jetty, 7.15, 10.30, 2.30, and 3 p.m. Boarders carried free. Chowder Bay pleasure Grounds and Port Jackson Pavilion can be engaged for school and society picnics. Large or small parties catered for in the best of style by applying at Chowder Bay office, Arbitration-street, Circular Quay; or Marine Hotel, Chowder.

A TRIP ROUND THE HARBOUR AND HEAD OF MIDDLE HARBOUR, Daily.
S.S. THE GRAND leaves No. 2 Jetty, Circular Quay, at 10.30 and 2.30. Fare, 1s.

CLONTARF and HEAD of MIDDLE HARBOUR. TO-MORROW, SUNDAY.

Steamers LEVERET and THE GRAND leave No. 2 Jetty, Circular Quay, at 10.30 a.m., 11.30 a.m., and 2.30 p.m.; Woolloomooloo, 2.45 p.m.; returning 12.15 and 4.45 p.m.

TRIPS ROUND THE HARBOUR AND HEAD OF MIDDLE HARBOUR.
Steamer LEVERET leaves No. 2 Jetty at 2.30 p.m.
Steamer THE GRAND leaves Woolloomooloo at 2.45 p.m.
Return fare, 1s; Children, 6d. W. and T. MOORE.

FOR MANNING RIVER.—MAGGIE GOLLAN receiving cargo, Market Wharf. Apply on board.

BRUNSWICK RIVER and BYRON BAY.—Lizzie Frost, on TUESDAY. R. LANGLEY, 92, Sussex-street.

FOR BERMAGUI and COBARGO.—The Ketch Muruna receives cargo at Caledonia Wharf, King-street.

FOR TOWNSVILLE DIRECT.
NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.

On account of an unavoidable delay in the departure of the schooner NELLIE from Newcastle, shippers are informed that the schooner

LORD OF THE ISLES

will commence loading at Victoria Wharf on TUESDAY next, and will have immediate despatch.
WILLIAM DOUGLAS, Agent,
65, Pitt-street.

FOR LONDON DIRECT.

First ship for the January Wool Sales.

The Aberdeen Clipper,
THERMOPYLÆ,
948 tons,
N. ALLAN, Commander,
is now loading, and will have prompt despatch.

This fine ship, noted for her rapid voyages, offers shippers of wool a most favourable opportunity of catching the sales.
For terms of freight, apply to
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Wool received at Dalgety's Stores.

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FOR THE JANUARY WOOL SALES.

The fast and favourite 100 A1 clipper ship
CIMBA,
John Fimister, Commander.

Has almost the whole of her cargo on board and engaged, and will be despatched about the 17th October. This vessel will go into DOCK before sailing, and her last passage with wool was accomplished in 86 DAYS.

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THE ABERDEEN LINE.

The undersigned will despatch for London the following first-class Ships, about the undermentioned dates:—

| Ship. | Commander. | Tons. | Date. |
|---|---|---|---|
| PATRIARCH ... | H. Pister ... .. | 1339 | October. |
| SMYRNA ... | T. Taylor ... .. | 1305 | November. |
| ABERDEEN, S.S. | J. Barclay ... | 3616 | November. |
| TRAFALGAR ... | D. Moir ... .. | 1429 | December. |
| PERICLES ... | J. Largie ... .. | 1596 | January. |

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CONSIGNEES are requested to PASS ENTRIES at once for Central Wharf. The ship will not be responsible for any loss of or damage to cargo after same shall have been landed, and any cargo impeding discharge will be entered and stored at consignee's risk and expense.

Bills of Lading must be produced, freight paid, and delivery orders obtained from the undersigned before any cargo can be delivered.

ALFRED LAMB and CO., Agents,
Young-street, Circular Quay.

Captain CARVOSSO will not be responsible for any DEBTS contracted by his crew without his written authority.

GERMAN BARQUE APOLLO, FROM FREDERICKSTADT.

Captain H. HUSTEDE will not be responsible for any DEBTS contracted by his crew while in this port without his written authority.
J. C. ELLIS, Agent,
247, George-street.

SHIP SAMUEL PLIMSOLL, from LONDON.

All CLAIMS against inward cargo must be rendered in duplicate to the undersigned by noon THIS DAY, the 1st October, otherwise they cannot be recognised.
DALGETY and CO., Limited,
5, Bent-street, Agents.

BARQUENTINE MARY, Captain Robb, from Bluff Harbour. Consignees please pass entry for Russell's Wharf.
JOHN CAMPBELL, Ship's Agent.

A LARGE Assortment of Sailing Boat fittings, buckets, goosenecks, tabernacles. Milne Bros., 163, Sussex-street.

BOAT for HIRE.—Large C. B. BOAT and Dingy, suit camping out. Macbeth, George-street.

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BALMAIN STEAM FERRY COMPANY, Limited.
PICNICS AND EXCURSIONS.
The commodious Steamers of the Company are open for charter on moderate terms.
W. S. THOMSON, Secretary.
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BOATS. BOATS. BOATS.—O'BRIEN BROS. will sell by auction, THIS AFTERNOON, at 3 p.m., at the foot of Church-street, head of Iron Cove Bay, near Leichhardt Park, Leichhardt, 25 good Boats, including 18, 20, 22, and 24 half-decked C. B. Sailing Boats, Family Boats, Light Skiffs, Dingies, Sculls, &c. O'BRIEN BROS., Auctioneers. Offices—92, Elizabeth-street, city; and at Marion-street, Leichhardt.
N.B.—Steamer leaves Erskine-street, Sydney, 1.15 p.m., arriving at place of sale at 1.40, giving time before the sale to inspect the boats.

DIVERS' superior Air PUMPS and Requisites for diving, cheap. W. Robison, 67, Sussex-street.

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FOR FREIGHT or Charter Ketch EVELYN. Apply JOHN TAYLOR and CO., 15, Sussex-street.

FOR SALE or Hire, two HALF-DECKERS, 19ft. and 18ft., new boats. C. Stubbard, Darling-street, Glebe.

FOR Private SALE, Steamer METEOR, light draught. Chowder Bay Office, Arbitration-street, Circular Quay.

FOR SALE and HIRE, varnished BOATS, new and second-hand. Matson's Baths, Woolloomooloo.

FOR SALE, new KETCH, well found. Apply Thos. A. Strickland, 3, O'Connell-street.

FOR SALE, 14-ft. Ship's BOAT and 11-ft. DINGY. G. Stevens, boatbuilder, Mill-street, Pyrmont.

FOR SALE or Hire, Punt GOOD IRON, carries 100 tons, fully found. Evans, Sons, and Co., 197, York-street.

FOR SALE or Charter, Schooner VENUS, 53 tons register. Apply 78, Pitt-street.

FOR SALE, 16ft. C. B. Pulling SKIFF, sails, sculls, &c. Robinson's Baths, Woolloomooloo Bay.

FOR SALE, cheap, fast 14-foot Sailing DINGY (Hero). Apply J. Drake, 10, Bunn-street, Pyrmont.

FOR SALE, 18ft. Centre board BOAT, sails, sculls, and all gear, comp. J. Stancliffe, Woolwich, Hunter Hill.

FOR SALE, the 25-feet Open-boat, Rosetta, racing and pleasure sails. J. Clark, Holdsworth and Co., 445, Geo.-st.

FOR SALE, s.s. GLENELG, having just received a thorough overhaul. For particulars, apply PORT JACKSON STEAMSHIP COMPANY, Circular Quay.

FOR FREIGHT or CHARTER.—The LOOKOUT. Apply to G. F. Mason, Patent Slip Wharf.

FOR SALE, 2 light SKIFFS; one 16ft. centreboard Dingy. H. C. Press, Woolloomooloo Bay.

FOR SALE, all kinds of BOATS, pulling and sailing. Golding, boatbuilder, Fitzroy Point, Balmain.

FOR SALE, 15ft. Skiff DINGY, cedar, varnished inside and outside, in first-class order, cheap. A. Charlton, Mitchell-street, M'Mahon's Point, North Shore.

FOR CHARTER, the s.c. YOUNG CHARLIE, for Sunday and Monday, terms reasonable. Apply JEENE'S OSBOURNE HOTEL, Cowper Wharf, Woolloomooloo.

FOR SALE, CUTTER, 10 tons capacity, on 4ft., 2 years old, newly metalled, sails fast, and will be sold cheap. Apply to JAMES THORNE, Exchange-corner.

FOR SALE, the well and favourably known Steamships RINGAROOMA and ARAWATA, 100 A1; dimensions, 145 feet 4 inches x 30 feet 1 inch x 21 feet 9 inches; tonnage, 1068 tons gross, 623 tons net; nominal h.p., 300; passenger accommodation for 120 saloon and 103 steerage; cargo capacity, 500 tons; bunkers, 226 tons; engines compound surface condensing. Both these vessels are in good going order, and have extensive inventories.
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The boat can carry up to 30 h.p.
Is built of wood by Callan, Stockton, and has just been overhauled.
Very suitable for a tug or pilot boat, possessing rare sea-going qualities.
Full particulars on application to
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STEAM LAUNCH for SALE, cheap, for cash. Particulars Finlayson, 614, George-st.; or moorings, Berry's B.

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STEAMERS and STEAM LAUNCHES for SALE.
SCREW STEAMER, 100 tons capacity, on 7ft., cheap
SCREW STEAMER, 40 tons capacity, on 6ft., bargain
SCREW STEAMER, 275 passengers, 30 h.p., 9 knots
STEAM LAUNCH, 35 x 7.6 x 5, newly overhauled
STEAM LAUNCH, 30 x 7 x 4.3, teak built, 8 knots
STEAM LAUNCH, 25 x 7 x 4, for pleasure, 8 knots.
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TONNAGE wanted for Valparaiso. Apply Gibbs, Bright, and Co.

TWILL Suit of SAILS, 20ft. on boom, 12ft. 6in. hoist, set well. J. Firth, Watson's Bay.

WANTED, a thoroughly experienced FISHERMAN Jeune's Osbourne Hotel, Cowper Wharf, Woolloomooloo.

WANTED to Purchase STEAMER, to carry 100 tons, on 8 feet, with fair passenger accommodation, and to steam about 10 knots. B. B. NICOLL, Victoria Wharf.

YACHTS, Yachts, Yachts.—Inspect the newly Pencil-built Yachts at Messrs. Bruce and Massey's, Pitt-street.

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Gentlemen wishing to dispose of or purchase Yachts, Steam Launches, or Boats should apply to WALTER REEKS, 139, Pitt-street, who has established an EXCHANGE for that purpose, and where a complete list is kept and full particulars can be obtained. Note address—139, Pitt-street.

FLOATING DOCK, MORT'S BAY, Balmain.—THOMAS S. ROWNTREE and CO. Wood and Composite Shipbuilders and Blacksmiths. Ships of any size docked; repairs and work efficiently carried out on the most reasonable terms. Masts, spars and ship timber of every description always on hand. Town Office—249, George-street, opposite Bridge-street.

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Dry Dock, 409 feet long, 68 feet wide, fitted with patent keel-blocks.
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A large stock of Spars, Deck Planking, Metal, Oakum, &c., &c., always on hand.
Repairs executed on the shortest notice.

## Military Notices.

Head-quarters, Sydney,
30th September, 1887.

GENERAL ORDER, No. 182.

To prevent accidents to the general public on the occasion of the Cavalry Sports at the Agricultural Society's Grounds, the Rifle Range at Paddington will be CLOSED TO-MORROW.
By command,
(Signed) H. D. MACKENZIE,
Major A.A.G.

ENGINEER CORPS.

Wanted, a few RECRUITS of following trades:—Masons, Bricklayers, and Blacksmiths; age, 18—45; minimum height, 5ft. 6in. Apply at Engineer Office, Victoria Barracks, 4th October, at 7.30 p.m.
(Signed) THOS. ROWE,
Lieut.-Colonel Com.

1st October.

NEW SOUTH WALES GUN CLUB.

SHOOTING for the Spring Cups for 1st and 2nd Class Shooters will take place THIS DAY, at 2.30 p.m.
R. CATLETT, Secretary.

THE Paddington Rifle RANGE will be CLOSED this day (Saturday). By order. A. W. Fraser, captain, hon. sec.

TO VOLUNTEERS.—Dunn's Patent Wind-gauge Rifle Sights, 12s. 6d. R. Green, gunmaker, 14, Erskine-st.

## Calls on Shares.

LANKELLY MINING COMPANY, Limited.

TWELFTH CALL ON SHARES.

Notice is hereby given that the Directors have THIS DAY made a CALL of Sixpence per Share on each of the Contributing Shares in this Company, payment thereof to be made to the undersigned, at the Company's office, Moore-street, Sydney, on 8th October, 1887.
By order of the Board of Directors,
JOHN B. C. MILES, Secretary.
Moore-street, Sydney, 26th September, 1887.

WEST WALLSEND COAL COMPANY, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Directors have this day made a CALL (the 10th on the "C" shares and the 2nd on the "B" shares) of One Shilling per Share, payable to me at the Company's Office, 7, the Exchange, Bridge-street, Sydney, on or before MONDAY, the 17th October next.
By order of the Board,
M. GOLDSMITH, Secretary.
Sydney, 23rd September, 1887.

WEBB'S SILVER and MINING COMPANY, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Directors have THIS DAY MADE a CALL (the 15th) of sixpence per share, payable at the Company's Office, 131, Pitt-street, Sydney, on or before MONDAY, October 10 proximo.
By order of the Board,
JAMES WATT, Manager.
Sydney, September 23, 1887.

GOLD HILL G. M. CO., Limited, Burni Yards, near Orange.

A CALL (sixth of first issue, and fifth of second issue) of 1s per share, has THIS DAY been made upon the capital of the above Company, due and payable at the Registered Office of the Company, Summer-street, Orange, on the 1st day of November, 1887.
W. TANNER, Jun.,
Legal Manager.
October 1, 1887.

## Professions, Trades, &c.

A GOOD PASTRYCOOK wanted. Apply after 9 a.m., J. Dingle, 110, Oxford-street, Paddington.

APPOINTMENTS, Government and Mercantile.—Mr. Weiss, 177a, Liverpool-st., prepares and recom. candidates

AT 108, Bathurst-st., G. Institute.—Wanted, BAKER for smallgoods, Wollongong, 25s and found.

ARCHITECTURE and Surveying.—To Parents, &c. —The undersigned have a VACANCY for a Youth with a taste for drawing; premium required. TATT and FOWLER, Architects and Licensed Surveyors, 139, Pitt-street.

AT 108, Bathurst-st. G. Institute.—Wanted, Governess, for station, English, French, music, singing, drawing, £22; German Lady, who speaks French, for a school, to take French and German classes, suburbs; L. Help, domesticated.

A DVERTISER has several good INVENTIONS, two ready to patent, would like to meet with gentleman to assist inventor with capital to patent and manufacture the same, and share profits. Principals only. Engineer, 8, Goodsell-street, Newtown, Sydney.

A FEW FIRST-CLASS SKIRT and BODY HANDS wanted, also SLEEVE HANDS and APPRENTICES. Apply in Dressmaking Department. Good pay. Short hours, &c., &c.
HORDERN BROTHERS,
311, Pitt-street.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, Machinists and Tiers-off. Apply H. Griffiths, 126, Botany-road, Redfern.

BOOT TRADE.—Good MACHINIST wanted. Johnson and Sons, 99, Park-street.

BOOT TRADE.—A good REPAIRER; bring tools at once. Corner Elizabeth and Goulburn streets.

BUTCHERS.—Blacket's Smocks and Aprons on hand, also our own make. J. Johnson and Co., 243, George-st.

BUSINESS Gentleman with a few hundred pounds wishes to meet another Gentleman like amount, with the object of STARTING some Cash Business in Sydney; references given and expected. Apply H. M., Herald Office.

CARPENTERS.—Wanted, a Carpenter's IMPROVER. Apply W. P. Noonan (Riley Bros.), George and Bathurst sts.

CIVIL Engineer and Surveyor requires a well-educated Youth as Articled PUPIL, one with a taste for drawing and mathematics preferred: will be under principal's own supervision. Apply first instance by letter, John Carter, Borough Engineer, Carrington Hall, Miller-street, St. Leonards.

DRAPERS.—Wanted, for the country, smart YOUNG MAN, 30s, with board and residence. Apply, with copy (only) references, Box 485, G. P. O.

CITY MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY, Limited.

AGENTS wanted immediately. Highest remuneration offered to gentlemen of superior energy and ability. Previous experience unnecessary. Apply to the Superintendent, at the Society's Head Office, 49, Castlereagh-street, for full information and instructions.
JAMES P. GARVAN, Managing Director.

DRAMATIC.—Thorough experienced actor and manager educates pupils for profession. Proteus, Box 712, G. P. O.

DRAPERY.—We have Vacancies for 2 young Ladies, as Ap. Saleswomen in showrms. Cater and Dillon, Pitt-st.

DRESSMAKERS.—Wanted, thoroughly competent Bodice and Skirt HANDS. David Jones and Company.

DRESSMAKING.—ASSISTANTS wanted, used to bodices. 167, Windsor-street, Paddington.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, 2 Improvers and 4 Apprentices, salary com. Mrs. Day, 50, Botany-st., nr. Oxford-st.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, first-class Skirt HAND. Miss Walker, 3, Enmore-road, Newtown.

DRESSMAKING.—Good Bodice and Skirt HANDS, also Apprentices. Madame Colley, 290, Victoria-st., Dell'st.

DENTISTS.—Suite of ROOMS vacant, facing Hyde Park. Private entrance. Apply Dens, Herald Office.

DRESSMAKER wanted, competent, references, with terms, day or week. Mrs. J. C. Low, Broughtry, Railway-street, Petersham.

DRESSMAKERS.—Wanted, first-class HANDS, no others need apply. Mrs. Macdonald, Scientific Dressecutting Association, 127, King-street. Immediate.

ENGINEERING and FOUNDRY WORKS.

Wanted, a PARTNER with small capital to join advertiser in carrying on old-established business as above in a leading country town. Apply on Saturday or Monday, Mr. F. F. Martin, 76, Kippax-street, Surry Hills.

FRENCH POLISHERS.—MEN used to first-class work. Apply David Jones and Co., Kent-street (back door).

FIRST-CLASS CANVASSER wanted. Apply the Fire, Marine, and Accident Indemnity Co., 27, O'Connell-st.

FEDERAL COFFEE PALACE COMPANY, Limited.

APPLICATIONS
for the Position of
HOUSE MANAGER
will be received by the Directors
until the
30th Day of NOVEMBER, 1887.

Applicants must state their previous experience, and must forward copies of testimonials, &c.

Appointment will date from 1st January, 1888, and salary will be for the first year £500.

All applications must be in writing, and addressed to the offices of the Company,
54, COLLINS-STREET EAST,
MELBOURNE.
JAMES MIRAMS,
21st September, 1887. Secretary.

GOVERNESSES', Tutors' Institute, 55, Hunter-st.—Governesses and Tutors, excellent refs., waiting engagement

GOVERNESSES' Home; comfort, combined with respectability, moderate charge, advantages. Home, Herald.

GOVERNESSES' and TUTORS' INSTITUTE.—H. N. Montagu, 5, Montague-chambers, Elizabeth and Hunter streets. Families and principals of schools may rely on obtaining none but thoroughly qualified and efficient governesses and tutors.

HAIRDRESSER.—Wanted, good Haircutter and Shaver. 1, Albion-street, opposite Belmore Park.

HAIRDRESSERS.—Wanted, a good HAND for to-day. Apply early A. Young, 38, Erskine-street.

HAIRDRESSER wanted to-day; good hand good wages. Apply early, W. Kentwell, 102, Oxford-st., Padd.

HAIRDRESSER wanted, for Saturday, after 11 o'clock will do. Chas. Haddow, Marrickville tram terminus.

HARNESS-MAKING.—Wanted, a LAD, one used to the trade. B. O'Brien, 59, George-st., Camperdown.

HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN.

APPLICATIONS invited for the position of MATRON to the above Hospital; such applications to be made in writing, with testimonials, not later than OCTOBER 8, to the Hon. Sec., from whom particulars can be obtained.
H. C. KENT, Hon. Sec.,
Bell's-chambers,
129, Pitt-street.

LADIES' Handbags, fancy plush goods.—MAKERS wanted. J. Brennan, 1, Lonsdale-street E., Melbourne.

MEDICAL.—Connection for licensed Druggist: £250 sufficient. Medical Agency, City-chambers, 243, Pitt-st.

MEDICAL PRACTICE, Northern district, with hospital appointment, for Disposal. L. Bruck, 85, Castlereagh-st.

MILLINER and Saleswoman required for town near Sydney. Apply 224, Dowling-street. 3 to 5 p.m. to-day.

MILLINERY.—Wanted, good Hat Linger, also Improver. Palmer and Robb, 440, Elizabeth-st., Strawberry H.

PAINTER wanted, small job. Apply 16, Pidcock-street, Camperdown.

PARTNER for genuine business, smart man, £3 to £4 each weekly, at once. 1, Central Arcade.

PARTNER, with £60; profits, £10 weekly. Investigation, Business Agency, City-chambers, 243, Pitt-street.

PARTNER wanted with £80, sound city business, fullest investigation. Leighton and Co., 137, Phillip-street.

PATENTEES wishing to sell their patent rights communicate with C. P., 5, Wentworth-court.

PARTNER required in Sydney with £1000 in an Indent and Agency Business; capital and management under investor's control; first-class opening.
Indentor, Herald Office.

PARTNERSHIP offered in sound genuine Business, open to fullest investigation; capital required, £2000, on which a minimum profit of 25 per cent. per annum guaranteed. Particulars to principals only, address London, Herald.

REPORTER, Paragraphist, with knowledge case, required; country newspaper. Terms to Bi-weekly, G. P. O.

REQUIRED, PARTNER with about £300, valuable consideration for capital; high. refs. req. Box 1150, G. P. O.

REQUIRED, an energetic, trustworthy Youth. Prot.; Bookkeeper, business plan, 25s. Cragg's, 240, Castl'gh.-st.

REPORTER.—A JUNIOR required for the city. Apply by letter, B., Greville's Telegram Company, 92, Pitt-street, Sydney.

SMART Youth required, as Invoice CLERK, for large establishment; salary, 15s week to commence. Enclose copies of testimonials, Youth, Haymarket P. O.

SILVER ORES.—Wanted, a MAN thoroughly practical and experienced in the treatment commercially of free milling Silver Ores by the amalgamation process. Applications and testimonials to Chas. L. Garland, Box 970, G. P. O.

TAILORS.—TAILORS wanted, jobbing hands. J. H. West, 80, Goulburn-street.

TO HAIRDRESSERS.—Wanted, a good HAND for Saturday, Rockdale Arcade. Apply 20, Park-st., Sydney.

TO TAILORS.—Wanted, a TRIMMER for slops. Schwartzberg and Reidy, 243, Pitt-street.

TO TAILORS.—Wanted, a Coat MACHINIST; good wages. Schwartzberg and Reidy, 243, Pitt-street.

TO PLASTERERS.—Wanted, IMPROVER. Apply on job, railway steps, Arncliffe station.

TO TAILORS.—Wanted, CUTTER to cut and sew. C. Strachan, Mitchell-street, Stockton. Apply immediately.

TO TAILORESSES